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CONTEST CANDIDATES NEARING THE HOME STRETCH 1ST PERIOD.

ONLY 6 MORE DAYS TO GATHER BIG VOTES ON SUBS

First Period For Big Votes Closing Next Week—Next Six Working Days Will Count Much For Contestants—Salesman-ship Will Count.

There are only six more working days left in which to gather the BIG votes on subscriptions for the first period. The votes count the most now on two and five-year subscriptions and there is still plenty of TWO and FIVE year subscriptions left. THE CANDIDATE that goes after this BIG VOTE offer for this week only can make sure that she is the leader of the first period.

Votes Take a Big Tumble.
Saturday afternoon, February 13, the votes take a big tumble. Every candidate is working hard to try and take the lead and making sure of winning the Grand Prize, the NEW FORD SEDAN, in the first period.

Win the Sedan This Week.
Oil up your salesmanship ability and start off Monday with the determination of calling personally on every home in the territory that you have outlined to work and you will find that you will meet with greater success than ever before. There are many, many homes that would be more than glad to subscribe for THE SEA COAST ECHO. WHY? Because THE SEA COAST ECHO tells the happenings and progress that your county is making.

Read the Half-Page Ad This Week and see that you get your share of the BIG FREE VOTES for this week only; tell your friends, if they are already a subscriber and have paid one year in advance, to subscribe for another year and give you credit for a two year subscription, which will entitle you to twenty-eight thousand votes, provided you get a club of ten.

REALTY SALES CONTINUE ACTIVE.

C. Greer Moore Reports Sales—Lots in Sea Breeze Addition Sell—Big Development Plan Soon To Be Announced in Echo.

C. Greer Moore, local realtor, reports the local realty market active. Among the larger sales of the week he reports, the sale of lots in Sea Breeze Addition, Dunbar avenue, to M. P. Moody, of Gulfport, for a consideration of \$4,000.00.

Eight acres of land near McLeod's, belonging to H. H. Posey, were sold to New Orleans investors this week for a consideration of \$2,000.00. These investors are the same people who recently purchased 3,500 acres of the R. J. Williams land in the Jordan River vicinity for \$35.00 an acre.

A number of other sales were negotiated, but still pending. A number of smaller deals have taken place. There seems to be no abatement in the sale and purchase of local values. The trend is constant and steady, reports Mr. Moore.

Another realty firm reports a big deal on the taps. Something unusually big and out of the ordinary. It is in the formative period, and is destined to go through. This development, as we understand it will be, is to be announced in the near future.

HERE THEY ARE!

THE SEA COAST ECHO PRIZE CONTESTANTS.

The following are the names of Candidates in The Sea Coast Echo Automobile Contest and are listed alphabetically.

Miss Samantha Blackwell, Nicholson, Miss.
Miss Mackie Donaldson, Nicholson, Miss.
Miss Margaret Green, Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Miss Agnes Lagniel, Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Miss Ena LeBlanc, Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Miss Mittie Lee, Picayune, Miss.
Mrs. A. J. Lott, Kiln, Miss.
Miss Hilda Manning, Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Mrs. John McCarty, Nicholson.
Miss Elizabeth McQueen, Nicholson.
Miss Margaret Schindler, Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Miss Lottie Bell Summers, Logtown, Miss.
Mrs. O. M. Villere, Waveland.
Miss Maggie Wood, Nicholson.

HELP YOUR FRIENDS TO WIN, NOW!

BAY PARENT-TEACHERS' CLUB IS ACTIVE.

Banner Meeting Held Yesterday. Many Incidental Expenses of Schools Paid by Organization.

The regular monthly meeting of Central Parent-Teachers' Association was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with a large attendance. Miss Fayard's room won the banner for having the most mothers present.

The P. T. A. has been very active this year in helping the school. They have fostered the athletic association and paid all bills for them, which has amounted to quite a nice little sum.

The basketball suits for the girls and boys were paid for by P. T. A. A volleyball set, six indoor baseball sets, bats and balls for outdoor baseball, two basketballs, are a part of the equipment placed in the hands of the children. They plan to put swings and slides on the grounds for the smaller children. Thus each grade will be provided with the proper equipment to grow and develop physically, as they already are doing mentally. This fall the P. T. A. sent the entire high school to the Gulf Coast Fair, paying all expenses. The girls from Mrs. Sylvester's room put on a stunt there that won \$25, which they immediately turned over to the P. T. A.

The funds for all these things have been raised by dues, selling sandwiches and candy and the proceeds of an entertainment by "The Little Theatre Club," a club organized with the prime motive of helping the school through the P. T. A.

On next Saturday, election day, the club plans to sell sandwiches and coffee. So when you come to vote bring along an extra dime or two and help them out. Donations towards this occasion were wonderfully started off by Mr. Murray Bangard with five pounds of coffee. Other donations will be gladly accepted. Just notify the reception chairman, Mrs. S. L. Toquet.

BOOKLET BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Bay St. Louis Association Arranging to Issue Booklet Soon—Committee Appointed to Prepare Data and Arrange for Publication.

An interesting and important meeting of the Chamber of Commerce organization was held Tuesday night, with a good attendance. It was interesting to note the activity displayed.

A committee was appointed by Chairman Weston, composed of Captain C. B. Fisher, chairman; C. Greer Moore and E. W. Drackett, to collect data and prepare for the early publication of a booklet on Bay St. Louis and Hancock County, with a view of giving wide distribution. Such publication, it was pointed out, would serve to answer the many inquiries that are coming in from outside relative to this section.

The eyes of the world are turned to the Mississippi Gulf Coast, and this favored and particular section is coming in for considerable attention. Messrs. Fisher, Moore and Drackett are "getting busy" in the premises and they plan to put their work through in the quickest and most successful manner.

ADVERTISING GULF COAST.

L. & N. Railroad Co-Operating in Bringing Visitors to This Section.

In order to co-operate in bringing tourists to the Gulf Coast, the L. & N. Railroad has been advertising this section all over the United States. A beautiful colored placard bearing the names of all cities on the Gulf from Pensacola to New Orleans was shown Tuesday by E. C. Ruite, district passenger agent, who stated that the placard is being placed as far as Buffalo, N. Y., in the east and Salt Lake City in the west, in an effort to attract visitors to this section of the country.

HANCOCK TEACHERS MEET IN REGULAR MONTHLY SESSION

Prof. S. P. Powell, of Kiln, Delivers Feature Address of Event—Discuss Field Day Program and Make Minor Changes.

The Hancock County Teachers' Association met at the courthouse Saturday, at its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. O. T. Harper led in singing "America" and Rev. Mr. J. G. Gilmore, pastor of the Baptist Church, pronounced the invocation. Superintendent S. P. Powell gave a very interesting and helpful talk on the subject, "Where parents fail in the education of their children from the school's viewpoint."

The program of the county field meet was discussed, a few minor changes being made. The city school teachers tried to change a regulation made at a former meeting of the association which bars the Webb and Taylor schools from competing for the small loving cup. This cup was won last year by the Webb school by the narrow margin of one point over the Weston school. According to the regulation, this cup can no longer stay in Bay St. Louis, but will go to the school in the county which only grammar grade work that scores the highest number of points of this.

The motion to change the regulation was held before the association for a long time, being discussed pro and con. The city teachers tried to show that their system did not so excel the schools of the county that it was impossible for the county schools to win. The fact that both cups were won last year by narrow margins proved this fact. They also contended that it was unfair to the public school pupils of Bay St. Louis not to allow them a representative from each school in the county schools to win. The fact that both cups were won last year by narrow margins proved this fact. They also contended that it was unfair to the public school pupils of Bay St. Louis not to allow them a representative from each school in the county schools to win.

The general meeting consumed full time, so departmental meetings were not held.

FRONT STREET PAVING TO BE FINISHED MONDAY NIGHT.
Board of Supervisors' Splendid Contribution to Front Road—Contractor Hogan Announces Last of Surfacing Paving for Beach Monday.

Laying of the asphalt surface on the beach road of the city of Bay St. Louis will be finished Monday night, announced Mr. Hogan, of the Hogan Construction Company. This will complete the street from St. Charles street to the intersection of Front and Second, and the entire roadway will be open to traffic.

This is the realization of the dream of years, and marks an epoch in the history of the city. The splendid contribution of the progressiveness of the Board of Supervisors represents untold values to the city. There is no quicker determining factor for the future of Bay St. Louis than this, and it is with more than ordinary interest and importance that the completion of the paving of Front Street is announced.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

Having sold out my business, the Peacock Tea Room, its name, good-will and all physical paraphernalia appertaining thereto, I wish to thank one and all, my friends and the public in general who made the success of my business possible. To these, and not forgetting the colleagues of St. Stanislaus College, and pupils of other schools, I wish to especially thank for their loyal support. The college boys were champions of the Tea Room.

I retire from the business with the most pleasant recollections. During the period of nearly four years it has been pleasant to enjoy the friendship and patronage of the public to the extent that has come to me. The business of the bakery and confectionery will continue and all orders for cakes, etc., will be taken by me at the Jitney-Jungle Store.

Solicit a continuance of patronage of this branch of the business. Thankfully and respectfully, MRS. ABIGAIL BOURGEOIS. Bay St. Louis, Miss., Feb. 5, 1926.

LEETOWN CANNING CLUB.

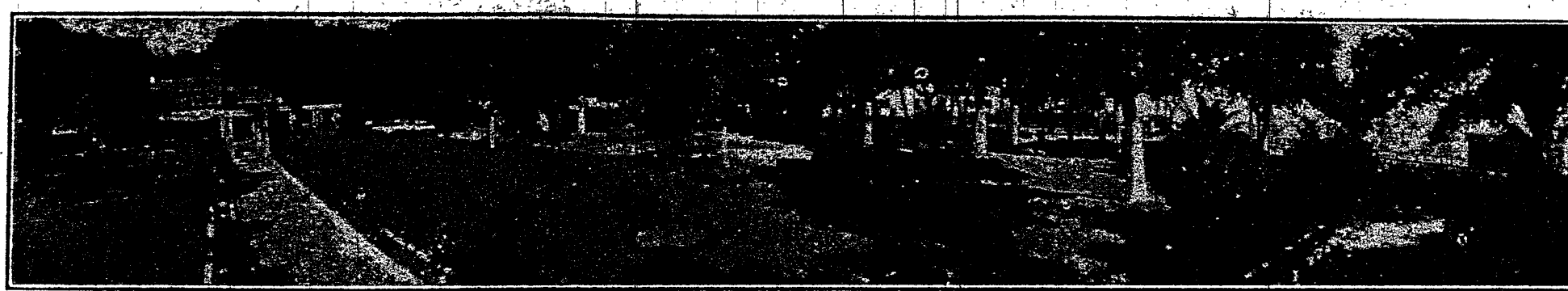
Leetown Club has been working very hard this week, with the help of Mrs. A. J. Silbo, of Caesar Club. We have been helping Mrs. Ben Lee can pork. We canned four hogs on January 28th and 29th, and had lots of fun working. We are to help Mrs. Ben Lee can chicken next week.

WAR DEPARTMENT O. K.'S BRIDGE.
The Secretary of the United States War Department this week approved of the Bay St. Louis bridge in its final plans and specifications, this following the recent hearing held in Bay St. Louis.

There was nothing to be added to the matter of building the bridge, but advertising for bids, and we understand this will be forthcoming about the 1st of the month, if not earlier. The bonds for the cost of building the structure have been sold and the money on hand. It is now only a matter of time. Its cost will approximately be three-quarters of a million dollars. As an agency of further development to this section the benefit to accrue from the building of the Bay St. Louis bridge cannot be overestimated.

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Beautiful Home at Bay St. Louis, on the Mississippi Gulf Coast.



"ON THE BEACH" ESTATE OF J. N. WISNER, BAY SAINT LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI.

BAY ST. LOUIS ATHLETICS HIGH IN ZENITH OF SEASON'S PERIOD.

BUSY BASKET BALLERS.

Stanislaus Athletics Have Strenuous Week—Loyola Wolf Pups Saturday and Sunday.

A busy time in athletics was started last Sunday at old Stanislaus. A double-header was played and the bill split by losing one and winning the other.

"Hippo" Phillips, coach for St. Aloysius College, of New Orleans, brought over two teams of his basketballers. The Juniors played the 125 pound Rock-a-Chaws and the latter were victorious by a score of 19 to 4. The little visitors, accustomed to playing on an outdoor court, were at the mercy of the "Babies" on the fast gym floor.

The second game was a thriller and hand fought from going to whistle. "Hippo's" Varsity team capturing the long end of a 22-19 score from the "Reserves."

The local boys were leading at the first half end by a score of 14 to 10, but the visitors came back strong in the second period and caged enough goals to win out by three points.

Clark Trounced Twice.
The Red Devils of Stanislaus met and vanquished the quintette of ball tossers from Clarke Memorial College, at Newton, Miss., in a two-game series on Monday and Tuesday evenings before a very large gathering of fans.

In the first game on Monday night the Devils started off like a prairie fire and completely snowed the rangy visitors under in a perfect avalanche of shots.

With but five minutes left to play the first period, the Red Devils amassed a score of 34 to 4, and the wreckers were sent in for practice and Clarke caged a trio of baskets, which ran the count to 34-10, first half.

The visitors came back with a very determined attack in the second period and managed to score sixteen more points. Roundblood, a sorrell-toned speed merchant from Newton, accounting for seventeen of the twenty-six total.

La Nasa, Big Boy Monura and Schwartz, were the three horsemen of the Rock-a-Chaws who rode roughshod.

Contrary to expectations, considering the snowfall of Monday, Tuesday was a large attendance on Tuesday night. The Clarke boys went into the game with blood in their eyes and played a much stiffer game than on Monday. They held the locals closely for the first quarter and were but tally leading for a brief time.

Marchie Schwartz had the spirit in the basket and the end of the first half ended the half at 25 to 12.

The three horsemen got on the rail in the second half and pushed it over for a total of 54-30.

The fame of the Red Devils will be emblazoned at Newton for a while.

Big Zeke was high gun with fourteen baskets, totaling 28 points, for Tuesday. Schwartz 14 and La Nasa 9.

Cincinnati Collegians Celebrate.

Lovers of the sport of basketball were treated to something quite out of the ordinary on Thursday evening when the Cincinnati Collegians met the Rock-a-Chaws on the St. Stanislaus court and emerged victorious by the score of 41 to 28.

An exhibition of prowess on the court, the playing of the visitors was the highlight of the evening. In this neck of the woods—or any other neck, for that matter. Exuding class from every pore, these Champs from the Queen City went about the business of garnering baskets as efficiently as artists of the highest caliber.

Nothing could be added to make their playing more perfect. Their teamwork was faultless and the way that Bob Mullins scored baskets from every angle, including the side-center of the court, was just short of unnatural. Mullins was not alone in the "creaky" work, for both Jones, the big center, and Clemons were right there with the goods.

In garnering the 28 markers, the Rock-a-Chaws covered themselves with glory. Zeke, La Nasa and Schwartz did the scoring and two better guards never covered a given territory than did Blaize and Keifer. The latter easily played the best game of his career and broke up many shots that looked sure for the visitors and we dare say that the bunch from Cincy will take back word that they met SOME foe in the Red Devils of old Stanislaus.

Big Zeke scored the first marker of the game and it was five minutes before the visitors could get going, but when they did the talkies ran up. Fighting as usual, the Rock-a-Chaws were undeterred by the class of the foe facing them, and things did not look so one-sided when the first period ended 17 to 10 in Cincy's favor.

Mullins started off the second half by caging one that looked as though it had come from Bayou Gallere, and Zeke tied it on the next play, but the Big Bertha got to shooting again, and that was that. Jimmy showed that he, also, had his range

PEACOCK TEA ROOM SOLD.

Local Restaurant Sold Yesterday to Mrs. G. E. Mader—Mrs. Abigail Bourgeois Closes Out Well Known and Popular Business—Goes Over to Jitney-Jungle.

Mrs. Abigail Bourgeois, proprietress of the well known Peacock Tea Room, on the beach front, opposite Williams Inn, whereby she sold to a deal through the firm of R. McWilliams & Co., whereby she sold to Mrs. G. E. Mader her business, including all fixtures and the name and good will of the place.

Mrs. Mader, who conducts a restaurant nearby, will use the two places of business into one and remain at her present stand on the Battistella building. The sale also includes the lease on the Moreau building, occupied by Mrs. Bourgeois.

The Peacock Tea Room did a splendid business. It was one of the most popular and best patronized places in town, but due to the fact that it has been the desire of Mrs. Bourgeois to retire for some time since in order to give her time and services over to the Jitney-Jungle Store, also a Bourgeois enterprise, located adjoining the postoffice. Hence, in future, Mrs. Bourgeois will be found at the Jungle Store, where she will continue taking orders for the pastry that has won for her an enviable business reputation. General regret will be expressed at the retirement of Mrs. Bourgeois from the Tea Room, where she won many additional friends and served one and all alike with attention and care that brought her success.

LITTLE THEATRE CLUB TO MAKE SECOND BOW.

Bay St. Louis Theatrical Club To Entertain in Tip-Top Minstrelsy Next Thursday Evening at W. O. Hall—Good Show Promised.

On Monday of next week, February 11, the Little Theatre Club will make its second bow to the pleasure loving people of Bay St. Louis. On this occasion it will entertain in tip-top minstrelsy. The club has been in active rehearsal for many weeks and the performance promises to surpass anything ever attempted here in minstrelsy. The show is not of the "copied" sort, but is built along original lines, and if the audience doesn't go home sick from laughing, then, the members of the club say, they have missed their guess. The fun is fast and furious.

Mr. Harry Sawyer will be interlocutor. Mr. S. F. Von Ehren is responsible for the arrangement and is director of the show. The musical division is in the capable hands of Mrs. Harper and Mrs. Cantry. The solo numbers are of a high order and the end, well, that would be telling too much. The whole cast is enthusiastic in the work and an evening of clean, rip-roaring fun is promised. The slogan for this performance is, "Rare Fun—Well Done."

AS TO STATUS SHIP ISLAND.

Harrison County Legislator Says the Place Is No Man's Land—Wants City of Gulfport to Acquire Ship Island—Government to Sell the Island.

Since the government has decided to dismantle Ship Island as a fortification, with its well known Fort Massachusetts as a base, it is planned to sell the island and the local plan is to have Gulfport buy it.

Ship Island, which the city of Gulfport is seeking to acquire under the bill pending in Congress to permit the sale of the island to the State, county or municipality, says a press special, is a sort of "No Man's Land" as far as the application of the criminal laws of Mississippi is concerned, according to Representative H. H. Evans, of Harrison county.

Mr. Evans, who is a lawyer, says the State of Mississippi possesses no criminal jurisdiction over Ship Island, although the island is within the borders of the State. The explanation of this, it appears, is that the United States government owns the island and the people of the State have no jurisdiction over Federal territory.

A murder occurred on the island several years ago, Mr. Evans said, and because the Mississippi criminal law did not extend to Ship Island, the State courts could not try the case and the slayer went free.

As a result of this curious situation, Ship Island would be a paradise for bootleggers if the Federal government had no prohibition laws in force. If bootleggers on the island can dodge the Federal officers they are safe from State interference.

Mr. Evans has a bill in the Legislature to authorize the city of Gulfport to acquire Ship Island, if the Federal government decides to sell it. No matter whether the State, county or city of Gulfport gets the island, it can only be used for public purposes, under the provisions of the bill authorizing the sale. The bill has passed the Federal Senate and is now in the House. The War Department is supporting the bill.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD SUPERVISORS IN HANCOCK COUNTY.

Hancock County Bank Selected County Official Depository—To Build New House For Bayou Lacroix Bridge Tender. Bills Allowed.

State of Mississippi, County of Hancock.

Be it remembered that a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of and for the County and State, aforesaid was begun and holden in and for said County and State, at the courthouse thereof, in the City of Bay St. Louis, on Monday, February 1st, 1926, said being the first Monday of said month, and the time and place for the holding of said meeting.

There were present to-wit: H. S. Weston, president of said Board; Jos. L. Pavre, Calvin Shaw, Jos. P. Moran, John B. Wheat, members; Jos. V. Bontemps, sheriff of said county, and A. A. Kergosien, clerk of said Board.

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund, as per bills on file examined and approved, to-wit:

And approved, to-wit:	
James D. Lee, 1-12 contract, Sec. 4463 to 4476, Code 1906	231.24
Ed. Kimmell, salary, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	125.00
Tony Cuevas, 175 stumps, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	43.75
B. J. Nicolson, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	10.00
C. N. Moran, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	27.00
Randolph Cameron, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	22.25
Leon T. Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	42.00
O. L. Nicolson, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	20.00
Alisa Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	6.75
Albert Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	11.25
Alphonse Adams, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	15.75
Leon Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	22.50
J. J. Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	5.00
Roger S. Lee, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	3.00
W. G. Thigpen, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	252.50
Ray Thigpen, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	28.75
Ray Thigpen, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	9.00
Louis Stockstill, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	9.00
Alexander Lee, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	0.00
T. F. Lee, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	4.00
Labron Lee, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	10.00
Thomas Lee, 8 days labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	16.00
Alphonse Lee, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	8.00
Ocho Roster, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	8.00
C. Lee, salary, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	80.00
Rufus Lee, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	18.00
W. Lee, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	2.00
Center Merc. Co., mals, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	12.00
Rosalee Moran, team hire, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	12.00
Joe Sander, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	12.00
H. L. Jones, lumber, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	13.00
Harold Page, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	13.75
Ed. Saylor, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.57
W. J. Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.37
George Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.47
Walter Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.47
James Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.12
Patrick Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.37
Raymond Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.37
Sam Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.37
Tony Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	4.12
Harry Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.37
Charles Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.37
D. B. Martin, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	3.50
Mont Brothers, oils and gas, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	10.07
Mont Brothers, oils and gas, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	21.37
D. M. Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	35.00
Philip Peterson, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	15.00
Leon T. Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.50
Leon T. Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	1.50
James Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	5.00
Alphonse Adams, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	76.00
Alphonse Adams, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	57.50
Henry Bourgeois, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	81.00
D. L. Russ, salary, Chap. 238, Laws 1910	75.00
George Carroll, 11 loads gravel, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	22.00
W. C. Smith, 10 days labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	25.00
A. W. Thigpen, labor, and salary, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	238.00
Alex Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	12.00
Henry Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	8.00
Leon T. Lader, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	35.00
Jugene Cuevas, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	12.00
Victor Cuevas, labor, Chap. 150, Laws 1910	27.00
Oliver Cuevas, labor, etc., Chap. 150, Laws 1910	105.00
Ordered by the Board that the following amount be allowed and paid out of the School Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:	
V. Bontemps, victualing prisoners, Chap. 160, Laws 1920	110.00
Freeman Jones, State vs. Thomas, Chap. 160, Laws 1920	4.00
Freeman Jones, State vs. Johnson, Chap. 160, Laws 1920	4.25
J. C. Jones; State vs. Johnson,	

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Freeman Jones, State vs. Thomas, Chap. 165, Laws 1920 121.20 || Freeman Jones, State vs. Johnson, Chap. 165, Laws 1920 | 7.90 |
| J. C. Jones, State vs. Johnson, Chap. 165, Laws 1920 | 4.25 |

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ECHO BLDG.
Thirty-Five Years of Publication.
Chas. G. Moreau, Editor and Publisher.
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Male coal diggers may quit, but some female gold diggers never do.

Correct this sentence: "And they lived happily ever after."

Rouge and powder wear off, but the habit of using them doesn't.

Colonel Mitchell spurned the half loaf and wants to wholly loaf.

Predictions of a cool summer may be expected to depress the fur market.

The well-known story has some inconsistent ideas on the subject of distribution.

A Harvard student has just finished at the age of 76, and now he will expect to set the world afire.

If you see a crowd of citizens gesticulating wildly and arguing vehemently, they are not talking about our entry into the World Court.

A confession magazine offers a prize for the "most colorful romance." Why don't they page Mr. Kip Rhinelanders?

Governor "Ma" Ferguson may now check up and see how many equine guffaws she got out of her statewide "laugh month" in January.

It is reported that the Sphinx's back is cracking, which will give some chiropractors a fine chance to do his stuff.

If President Coolidge is in the habit of talking to himself, the White House reporters should also have a try at lip-reading.

Efficiency experts declare that 113 present sizes of tracks may be eliminated; still, the tire repairers have to live.

Owing to numbers of Swiss farm hands in Canada purchasing their own homes, many a former employer will soon be singing, "I Miss My Swiss."

Two million Hindu pilgrims took a bath in the holy River Ganges as a religious duty during the recent eclipse of the sun and probably needed it.

Alaskan Eskimos have been employed to instruct natives of Greenland in the care of reindeer, which suggests that our correspondence schools are overlooking something.

A government expert tasted 9,000 drinks of whiskey last year and then went crazy. At any rate he resigned, and it is supposed that only a crazy man would throw up a job like that.

Quite a lot of fun has been poked at a Tennessee editor who alluded to "Socrates drinking the fatal shamrock." Some of us remember an old-time brand called "Shamrock," which was not immediately fatal.

Prof. Einstein has been awarded a medal by the British Royal Society for his great work on relativity. The society should bestow similar recognition upon the first fellow who can demonstrate that he understands it.

An initial fund of \$5,000 has been donated for research into the cause of baldness, which it is hoped will result in a scientific means of preventing the same. In the meantime we shall keep on buying hair restorer from bald-headed barbers.

Senator Blease declared that he would stand "without a bite, without a drink and without a wink, and talk until March 4, 1931," if it would prevent the United States joining the World Court. Now, who says we have no dyed-in-the-wool patriots in Congress?

In 1852, in discussing the possibilities of the telegraph, a Congressman said in a speech: "The time will come when all the proceedings in Congress will be transmitted, in extenso, to all parts of the Union daily." Unfortunately, this dire prediction came true.

Fred Beauvais, former Indian guide friend of Mrs. "Fie" Stillman, is suing her for \$7,621.80, for "work done and money advanced." Those who had begun to fear that we should hear no more of that racy romance may be reassured.

British experts have made a list of 43 words, which they declare comprise one-half of the daily conversation of Americans. The words are: And, as, at, about, all, be, but, can, come, day, dear, for, get, go, have, hear, her, if, in, me, much, not, on, of, one, say, she, so, that, the, they, these, this, though, time, to, we, will, with, write, you, your. In America we might safely add "gimme."

MORE PROHIBITION RUMORS.

Press dispatches continue to indicate that the faith of General Andrews, dry czar, in his ability to satisfactorily enforce prohibition, is weakening.

Several months ago it was stated in International News Service dispatches that the administration had decided to make an intensive drive for prohibition enforcement for a year, at the end of which time, in case success had not been attained, it would ask for a modification of the Volstead act.

Now the United Press declares that General Andrews will resign unless conditions can be improved. It states that he has given his administrators three months in which to get results or get out. These reports are quoted as coming from "officials close to Andrews."

As to the actual results obtained since Andrews began his much heralded campaign last fall, opinions differ. But it cannot be denied that these results have been disappointing to those who sincerely desire to see prohibition enforced.

Of course, it may be contended that rumors of his probable resignation are "wet" propaganda, but it is hard to believe that a great press association would lend itself to that sort of thing. In any event, the problem of enforcement is far from being solved, and the high hopes placed in the ability of General Andrews to solve it have not yet been realized to any great extent.

FARMERS NOT AGREED.

From the reading of a number of farm papers and studying the views of various leaders of the several farm groups, it appears that there are wide differences of opinion regarding what Congress might do or ought to do with respect to farm legislation.

News from Washington, describing the various conferences held by Secretary Jardine, reflects this situation, and also makes it plain that the farmers have not yet been able to solidly unite upon a program of government aid.

While immense numbers of farmers are affiliated with organizations formed in their interest, such as the American Farm Bureau Federation, the Farmers' Union, the Grange, various co-operative associations and so on, in some cases these bodies are working for widely different measures. The natural result is that the administration and members of Congress are somewhat at sea in trying to formulate measures which may meet the farmers' desires.

Every right-minded person really wants to see agriculture share equitably in the national prosperity, but until the farm leaders can get together upon a definite program it is not likely that any effective legislation can be passed for their benefit.

In fact, many are of the opinion that so long as the supply of certain farm crops exceeds the demand, nothing that Congress may do will help the situation very much, in spite of what politicians promise.

BIG POWER MERGERS.

Recent mergers of large power companies in the northeastern and southeastern sections of the country have served to bring forth expressions of apprehension from certain newspapers and politicians, who profess to see in these combinations a threat of monopoly and exploitation of the nation's water power resources.

From the standpoint of the public, however, there are several important facts which should be kept in mind.

In the first place, all water power developments in recent years have been made under the provisions of the national water power act, sponsored by Roosevelt, Pinchot and other leading conservationists. This act was deemed adequate to protect the interests of the people, so far as providing for a systematic and intelligent use of potential water power sites is concerned.

In each State a public service commission, elected by the people, has full authority to control rates and conditions under which service must be performed.

In order that all the developed hydro-electric power of a given section of the country may be utilized for the benefit of that entire section, it is manifestly necessary to have interconnected transmission lines, so that a temporary shortage in one locality may be relieved by diverting power from other parts of the territory. The benefits of such an arrangement were amply demonstrated last fall, when the mills and factories of the Carolinas and Georgia were able to draw power from Alabama to tide them over during a severe drought. Without interconnection this would have been impossible.

With government control over the development of sites and state control over rates, it would appear that the interests of the people are amply protected, while economy of operation undoubtedly results from such co-operation as these mergers contemplate.

One thing is certain: These developments are making possible more industrial plants and payrolls, which in turn provide greater employment for labor and wider markets for the products of the farm.

A BUSINESS NATION.

It has long been the fashion for certain writers and speakers to criticize the American people for their commercialism—their desire to make money.

While it is true that the mere making of money is not a very high ambition, it must be remembered that it is through our genius for business that we have been able to provide the funds for innumerable things worth while, such as are not enjoyed by any other nation in the same degree.

Great sums devoted to educational, religious, charitable and artistic purposes have been made possible through successful business pursuits. Scientific research, the advancement of health measures, better homes, and the comforts and refinements of civilization generally have been due to the ability of our people to acquire money and to their willingness to spend it for these things.

Most of the high-brow critics of business obtained their education at colleges and universities endowed and made possible by business men. Business and money making are not the end of our national ambition, but the means whereby civilization may be promoted and preserved.

OIL MEN EMPLOY HUGHES.

Charles E. Hughes, former justice of the United States Supreme Court and candidate for president in 1916, has been employed to represent the oil industry in hearings before the Federal Oil Conservation Board.

This board was appointed by President Coolidge in December, 1924, and is composed of members of its cabinet, Secretaries Work, Hoover, Wilbur and Davis. It is not a board of investigation, in the sense of assuming that there is crookedness in the oil industry. It is, as its name indicates, a board appointed to co-operate with the oil men in endeavoring to adopt conservation measures, such as better methods of production, refining and marketing, so as to avoid waste, in case wasteful methods are found to exist.

Hearings have been held and many facts have been presented to the board by a committee of eleven, composed of leaders in the oil industry. Further hearings will be held in Washington, and at these Mr. Hughes will assist the oil men in presenting the information desired by the government.

The oil industry has welcomed the inquiry and is aiding the President's board in getting at the facts, which when made public will, it is believed, offset much of the unfavorable criticism of the industry, which has been heard since the Teapot Dome scandal came to light.

While the industry as a whole had no responsibility whatever for the Teapot Dome affair, it being merely a matter concerning certain individuals, that fact is not understood by the people at large.

Because of the high standing of the President's board and Mr. Hughes it is believed that the conclusions reached will command the confidence of the people and give them a better understanding of this great industry.

COMRADES.

There is a comradeship of courage. It was illustrated the other day when Rold Amundsen paid a visit to Dr. Frederick A. Cook, convict No. 231-110, in the Federal Penitentiary at Leavenworth.

Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole, hero of a half dozen daring expeditions into the frozen North and South, acclaimed one of the most intrepid explorers of all time, disgraced, convicted of fraud, serving a sentence of fourteen years.

One at the pinnacle of earthly fame, the other in the depths of degradation. Yet they met and chatted for an hour on the common level of comradeship. For they had been companions and friends in an elemental struggle such as tries men's souls, and they are comrades still.

Amundsen as mate and Cook as surgeon of the Belgica expedition in 1897-99 braved the rigors of the Antarctic together for two years and were both decorated by the King of Belgium upon their return. That association developed a friendship that only death can sever.

Although Cook made false claims to having climbed Mt. McKinley, in spite of his untrue story of having discovered the North Pole, regardless of his conviction as a swindler—he had shared with Amundsen the hardships and privations of polar exploration and his courage cannot be discounted, even by his moral obliquity.

And, true to the comradeship of courage, Amundsen is still his friend.

WEBBER WILSON WILL MAKE ANNOUNCEMENT.

T. Webber Wilson will soon make formal announcement of his candidacy to succeed himself as a member of Congress from the Sixth District.

It is said Mr. Wilson has a senatorial bee buzzing about his head, but as the term of Senator Hubert Stephens has two years longer to run, he has not yet committed himself.

Fast trains on an English railroad are to be equipped with cars especially arranged for dancing.

OCEAN SPRINGS MASONS TO BUILD.

Plan to Build Beautiful Brick Building—Fraternity Plans to Issue Non-Interest Bearing Bonds—Both Banks of That Place Offer to Help.

Masons of Ocean Springs are planning to build a new Masonic hall, a beautiful brick building, on their property in Government street. In fact, the plans are finished and accepted, agreed, and actual work, says the Ocean Springs Times, is expected to start in the near future.

While all minute details have not been worked out, it is practically settled that the structure will be of brick, and cost about \$15,000.00. It will be a home for Masons in every sense of the word. The building will be set back from the street. The lower floor will be fitted up for a club room and banquet hall. The second floor will be the lodge room.

The lot on which the building is to be erected is one block east of the postoffice. It measures 100 by 180 feet. The Masons bought it several years ago for a nominal sum. The lodge has accumulated a building fund of nearly \$8,000 cash.

It is planned to issue non-interest bonds in a sufficient amount to take up the balance, which will be sold to the members of the lodge. Both local banks have also offered to assist. The new Masonic hall, when completed, will be a modern building in every respect and a credit to Ocean Springs and McLeod Lodge No. 424.

Ocean Springs is to be congratulated. Like Bay St. Louis, this city now having in the process of actual building a three-story brick building of the kind, costing approximately \$50,000.00, Ocean Springs is moving forward along fraternal as well as material construction. It speaks well for both cities.

BUSINESS BRIEFS.

Responding to the campaign for economy in rubber consumption in the United States, the price of crude dropped from \$1.09 on December 10 to 68 cents on January 26.

Secretary Hoover urged early action on Muscle Shoals, so that domestic production of nitrates might proceed free from the uncertainty which now hampers the development of that industry.

The Chilean export tax adds about 20 per cent to the cost of nitrates in the United States, or more than \$11,000,000 a year.

To date the coal strike has prevented the mining of about 24,000,000 tons of anthracite.

It costs about 14 cents a copy to produce the New York Times, or \$50,000 a day.

Billboards will shortly be used to advertise cigarettes for women.

American fire losses in 1925 totaled \$373,500,550, while those for December alone reached \$43,275,000.

There were only 464 bank failures in the United States last year, as compared with 613 in 1924.

Present indications are that more than 100,000 motor busses will be in use in this country by the end of 1926.

The United States imported last year 47,500,000 bunches of bananas, worth \$22,000,000.

BOYS AND GIRLS.

Five playmates of Clarence Shelton, 10-year-old Chicago boy, offered to give blood for transfusion to save his life.

Denise Wilson, 9, daughter of Robert Forrest Wilson, the author, is the youngest American pupil of the National Opera ballet school in Paris.

Meredith Taylor, aged 3, of Carlisle, Ky., is 43 inches in height and weighs 100 pounds.

Lorene Squire, 16, is paying her way through the University of Kansas by selling pictures of birds and animals taken with her camera.

Nelson Loris, 16, has attained fame as an evangelist preacher in Massachusetts.

Rita Hipps, 15-year-old English actress, is the star of the Little Theatre, in Leeds, her favorite role being Juliet in "Romeo and Juliet."

Frequent Bilious Attacks

"I suffered with severe bilious attacks that came on two or three times each month," says Mr. J. P. Nevins, of Lawrenceburg, Ky. "I would get nauseated. I would have dizziness and couldn't work. I would take pills until I was worn-out with them. I didn't seem to get relief. A neighbor told me of."

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"and I began its use. I never have found so much relief as it gave me. I would not be without it for anything. It seemed to cleanse my whole system and made me feel like new. I would take a few doses—get rid of the bile and have my usual clear head, feel full of pep, and could do twice the work." Billions of attacks are "seasonal" with many people. Millions have taken Black-Draught and the good results they have reported should induce you to try it. All Druggists.

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G. E. Williams, Sec.-Treas.

CHANCERY SUMMONS No. 2305.

The State of Mississippi.
To New Orleans, Texas and Mexico Railway Company.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of Hancock County, in said State, on a rule day of said Court, to be held at the office of the Clerk, on the second Monday of March, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2305 in said Court, of George Daugherty, and to answer original and amended bill of complaint in said cause, wherein you are defendant.
This the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1926.
(Seal) A. A. KERGOSIEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
To the Creditors of the Estate of Rev. P. J. Korstenbroek, Deceased.
Letters testamentary on the Estate of Rev. P. J. Korstenbroek, Deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 31st day of December, 1925, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, notice is hereby given to persons having claims against the Estate of said deceased, to have the same properly registered and allowed by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so, within said period, will forever bar all claims.
JOHN M. PRENDERGAST, Executor.
Bay St. Louis, Miss., Dec. 31, 1925.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Official notice is hereby given that, in conformity with the law governing same, and as ordered by the City Democratic Executive Committee, a Democratic primary election will be held in the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss., on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1926, for the nomination of a Mayor, Secretary, Assessor and Tax Collector, Marshal, Street Commissioner and one Alderman from each of the City Wards.
In the event a second primary be necessary, same will be held on Saturday, February 20, 1926.
CHAS. G. MOREAU, Chairman City Democratic Ex. Committee, January 2, 1926.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, at the City Hall, until 6 o'clock P. M., February 6th, 1926, for furnishing the City with wholesale prices on gasoline and lubricating oil of different grade, for city truck and tractor, up to April 1st, 1926.
The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
S. J. LADNER, Secretary, January 2, 1926.

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Political Announcements.

FOR MAYOR.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce

WILL C. SICK
a candidate for the office of Mayor City of Bay St. Louis, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

H. L. GLOVER

a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

G. E. BLAIZE

a candidate for re-election to the office of Mayor, City of Bay St. Louis, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce

ROBERT E. MAYNARD
a candidate for the office of City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

PETER RAMOND

a candidate for the office of City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

ALBERT JONES

a candidate for the office of City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

JOHN O'NEIL

a candidate for the office of City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election.

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce

FRED HANDBERT, SR.
a candidate for the office of Street Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

ALBERT J. FAYRE

a candidate for the office of Street Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

AUGUST TACONI

a candidate for re-election to the office of Street Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

DAN J. ZIEGLER

a candidate for the office of Street Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR ASSESSOR AND TAX COLLECTOR.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce

MURRAY E. BANGARD
a candidate for the office of City Assessor and Tax Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FERDINAND H. EGLOFF

a candidate for the office of City Assessor and Tax Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR CITY AUDITOR AND SECRETARY.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce

THOMAS J. CONWAY
a candidate for the office of City Auditor and Secretary, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

SYLVAN J. LADNER

a candidate for the office of City Auditor and Secretary, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR ALDERMAN—WARD 1.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce

CHARLES TRAUB, SR.
a candidate for the office of Alderman, Ward 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

GEORGE J. TOCA

a candidate for the office of Alderman, Ward 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

FOR ALDERMAN—WARD 2.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce

JAMES MARTI
a candidate for the office of Alderman, Ward 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

H. S. BLAIZE

a candidate for the office of Alderman, Ward 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

The State of Mississippi.
To Frank Stevens:
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the fourth Monday of April, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2864, in said court, of Edwin Stevens, being a suit for divorce, wherein you are a defendant.

CHANCERY SUMMONS No. 2864.

The State of Mississippi.
To John Hopkins, if alive, and if dead, his unknown heirs at law or legatees, to John F. Miller, if alive, and if dead, his unknown heirs at law or legatees, and any and all persons having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described land, in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

CHANCERY SUMMONS No. 2864.

Lot No. 5, in the rear of the First Ward of the City of Bay St. Louis, as per official map of said City, made by E. S. Drake, C. E., and filed May 1st, 1925, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

CHANCERY SUMMONS No. 2864.

The next New Jersey Legislature will have seven women members.

RHEUMATIC AGES
AMAZINGLY HELPED

Wonderfully better after simple home treatment

When those old aches in joints and muscles come on—try this simple home treatment that so many rheumatic sufferers have found effective.

"I suffer very much with rheumatism," writes a Salt Lake City, Utah, woman, "especially during changes of weather. I always use Sloan's Liniment and it relieves the pain very quickly."

Hundreds of letters like this have come to the makers of Sloan's telling of the wonderful relief they have got from all kinds of muscular pain with Sloan's Liniment. Sloan's Liniment is not just a deadening pain; it gets at the cause. Right to the place that hurts it brings a healing stream of fresh, new blood. Quickly and surely it carries off the rheumatic germs, takes out stiffness and drives away the aches and pains. So clean and easy to use too. All druggists—35 cents.

Sloan's Liniment
RHEUMATISM

PROCEEDINGS OF THE
BOARD SUPERVISORS
IN HANCOCK COUNTY

(Continued from Page One.)

Chap. Laws 1922	8.80
John V. Bontemps, load wood, Sec. 315, Code 1906	4.00
John V. Bontemps, stamps, Sec. 315, Code 1906	31.14
John V. Bontemps, brooms, etc., Sec. 315, Code 1906	3.50
A. A. Kergosien, repairing typewriter, Sec. 315, Code 1906	10.82
Emile Cue, access No. 17, 1925	5.64
John Restor, returning officer, Sec. 315, Code 1906	1.00
Mrs. John Rutherford, keeper Poor House, Chap. Laws	120.00
W. H. McDonald, salary, Sec. 315, Code 1906	60.00
E. Van Whitfield, salary, Chap. 162, Laws 1922	125.00
Resdie Bailey, salary, Chap. Laws	60.00
Mayno J. O'Don, salary, Chap. 120, Laws 1914	165.00
S. F. O'Neal, salary, Chap. 103, Laws 1908	225.00
B. J. Goss, salary, Chap. 238, Laws 1910	125.00
Mrs. A. B. Mallory, transcript bond record	15.00
George D. Riley, C. I., for audit of county accounts, Chap. Laws 1924	1730.35
Emile Cue, redemption Nos. 32 and 17, 1925	2.10
Sturges Electric Co., supplies, Sec. 315, Code 1906	4.80
Bay Merit Co., supplies, Sec. 315, Code 1906	13.32
Sea Coast Echo, supplies, etc., Chap. Laws 1916	157.30
Chamberlain, T. & T. Co., rentals and tolls, Sec. 315, Code 1906	30.50
Emile Cue, excess redemption No. 21, 1925	3.36
A. A. Kergosien, stamps for Dec. and Jan., Sec. 315, Code 1906	12.25
Hancock County Bot. Wks., coal, Sec. 315, Code 1906	44.00
Dr. C. M. Shipley, salary and expenses, Chap. Laws	300.22
Bay Lee & Bot. Wks., coal, Sec. 315, Code 1906	11.00
Dessid McManus, estimate, Chap. Laws 1920	2160.00
House Plumbing Co., supplies and labor, Poor House, Chap. Laws	31.85

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Highway Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Turner Holden, inspector 55.50

John C. Dekras, salary and transportation, etc. 521.50

Frank Raimond, helper 87.50

Wallace Bontemps, inspector 95.00

Fred Handbert, inspector 95.00

Moody & Stewart, estimate 9,700.32

Hogan Construction Co., estimate 38,984.28

Eugene Delfen Co., supplies 20.00

Dixie Culvert & Metal Co., pipe as per bill 2,912.84

C. W. A. McDonald, supplies 3.42

The Clerk having advertised according to law for one desk for court room, as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office, and sundry bills having been submitted, and whereas it appears that the bid of the Gulfport Mill and Cabinet Works, in the sum of \$170.00, is the lowest and best bid, it is therefore ordered that the said bid of the said Gulfport Mill and Cabinet Works be and it is hereby accepted.

There came on to be considered this day by the Board of Supervisors, at 11 o'clock a. m., the matter of the selecting a county depository of public funds, including all funds to be collected by the Tax Collector of Hancock County, Mississippi, for the current year, this Board having previously notified the Merchants Bank and Trust Co., and the Hancock County Bank, both of Hancock County, Mississippi, and various other banks in adjoining counties, and having also, in due conformity with law, published public notice in The Sea Coast Echo, a public newspaper of general circulation of said County of Hancock, that this Board would this day and at the hour receive and consider bids and proposals for the privilege of keeping said public funds including all collections made by the Tax Collector of said Hancock County for said period. In pursuance of said notification and of said advertisement the said Hancock County Bank, of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, submitted the following bid and proposal for the privilege of keeping said funds for said period; the said bid of the Hancock County Bank being the only bid for proposal received by or submitted to this Board, to-wit:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Hancock County, Mississippi. Gentlemen: In response to your request for bids for the privilege of being county depository for the money belonging to the county and the different funds, also for the funds collected by the Sheriff and Tax Collector that do not belong to the funds for which other depositories have qualified, we beg leave to tender this our bid for said funds.

We will pay the County 2 per cent. net per year for said funds on the daily balances. Our bids to cover the above fund, and we have made this our bid for the reason that your advertisement request the bid in this manner.

Sincerely hoping that we will have the pleasure of serving you for the next year and assuring you the same service in the future as we have given you in the past if chosen, we are, Respectfully,

Hancock County Bank,
By Leo W. Seal, Cashier.

And the Board being of the opinion and so holding and ordering that the said bid and proposal of the said Hancock County Bank in due conformity with law, and was received by and submitted to this Board at and before the time and in the manner required by this Board, and said notice and advertisement, and that the said bid and proposal of said Hancock County Bank is the best bid and proposal for the privilege of keeping said funds received by or submitted to this Board, and that the said funds will be safe in the keeping of said Hancock County Bank, it is ordered by the Board of Supervisors that the said Hancock County Bank be and it is hereby elected and chosen as and hereby constituted the official county depository of Hancock County, Mississippi, for the current year, and that the county funds of said county and all other funds of said county and any part or district thereof and all public funds and monies whatsoever collected by the tax collector or of said county be immediately and henceforth for the ensuing year deposited in and with the said Hancock County Bank as the official depository of Hancock County, Mississippi, upon the issuance of the commissioner hereinafter provided for.

Be it further ordered by this Board that for the privilege of keeping all of said funds on deposit the said Hancock County Bank shall pay to the County of Hancock, Mississippi, interest thereon at the rate of two (2) per cent. per annum, computed on the average daily balances of said funds on deposit with the said

Note to Mississippi Coast People:

This is a reproduction of a half-page advertisement which appeared Tuesday, January 19, in the

Circulation
Chicago Daily Tribune 658,948
and on Tuesday, February 16, it appeared in half-page size, in the

Cincinnati Enquirer 67,040
Cleveland Plain Dealer 199,628
Columbus Dispatch 103,526
Des Moines Register & Tribune 162,262
Detroit Free Press 190,146
Indianapolis News 125,827
Kansas City Star-Times 485,219
Minneapolis Journal 116,408
St. Louis Post-Dispatch 207,894
St. Paul Dispatch-Pioneer Press 158,800

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This is the fourth advertisement of the Mississippi Coast Club advertising campaign.
Warren Jackson, Managing Director
MISSISSIPPI COAST CLUB

Business Opportunities Now
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Only 23 hours from Chicago

Northern Cities Close to Mississippi Coast	Total Elapsed Time
Chicago	23 hours
Cincinnati	23 hours
Cleveland	32 hours
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Des Moines	37 hours
Detroit	31 hours
Indianapolis	24 hours
Kansas City	27 hours
Minneapolis	37 hours
Omaha	36 hours
St. Louis	19 hours
St. Paul	36 hours

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Playground of the Old South
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Great permanent investments, rich natural resources, growing reputation as an unequalled playground—these are bringing more and more visitors, investors, and homeseekers to the beautiful Mississippi Gulf Coast, and making it a thriving market for all businesses.

Northern and Southern capital has paved the way for the awakened business expansion.

The purchase of the Gulf and Ship Island Railway by the Illinois Central has brought the Mississippi Gulf Coast within twenty-three hours of Chicago.

The Mississippi Power Company has invested millions of dollars to bring to the Coast the high tension lines of super-power, which stimulate industrial growth. Its bus and inter-urban services are also being extended.

To meet the growing demands of year-round visitors, the owners of the Chicago Edgewater Beach Hotel will complete the \$2,500,000 Edgewater Gulf Hotel for Christmas, 1926.

Anticipating an increased population the Samuel Insull utility interests have bought the Southwestern Gas and Electric Company.

In a soil which is naturally fertile, and in a climate which is mild and sunny, agriculture thrives throughout the year. Lumbering and fishing industries which have flourished for years along the Coast are profiting from the increased activity.

Only twenty-three hours from the center of the Nation's wealth, the Mississippi Gulf Coast also profits from ocean commerce with all the nations of the world.

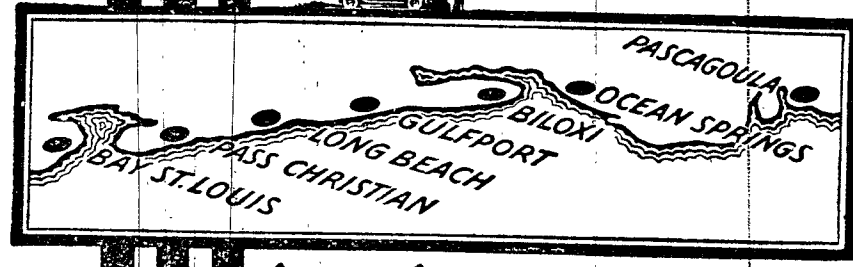
Warren Jackson, Managing Director

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To promote the welfare of the Mississippi Gulf Coast

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The initiative, awakened vision and thriving industry of this all-year playground are attracting many people to play, to work, to make the Coast their permanent home.

Here is an insistent demand for a great variety of business. Commercial investments of all kinds are assured of success by the great developments which have already been made.

Builders who will build apartment houses, homes, business buildings, will find a ready market for their services all along the Mississippi Coast.

Large and small investors who invest in permanent developments will find here an opportunity for sound, substantial growth.

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It is the lowest and best bid, be it therefore ordered that the said bid of Hogan Construction Company be and it is hereby accepted. It is further ordered that the said Hogan Construction Company enter into bond in the manner provided for by law.

Ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Tuesday morning, February 2, 1926, at 9 o'clock.

H. S. WESTON, President.

Tuesday morning, February 2nd, 1926, Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Whereas the following communication has been received by this Board: Honorable Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Gentlemen: An inspection has been recently made of the road in your county known as Federal Aid Project No. 159 A, B and C, and we find the same to be in the following condition: Road graded 24 feet wide, with 18 feet of gravel surfacing.

Under the provisions of the Senate Bill No. 82 of the Mississippi Legislature of 1924, this department hereby offers to take over as up to standard requirements for maintenance, the road known as Federal Aid Project No. 159 A, B and C, with the following exceptions:

No exceptions.

With the additional understanding that the road to be maintained by this department is the kind of road and in the condition that it is turned over to us, and, in the event that improvements, or betterments are required, that the county will construct such improvements or betterments.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors that the offer of the State Highway Department to accept these roads under the conditions outlined above be and it is hereby accepted.

Be it further resolved that the Clerk of this Board be instructed to transmit to the State Highway Department a certified copy of this order.

Be it ordered by the Board that Jos. L. Favre, Calvin Shaw and John

B. Wheat be and they are hereby appointed a committee to inspect the proposed route of the Bay-Kiln Road and the proposed location of the Jordan River bridge on said road and report their finding at this meeting of this Board.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Clerk of this Board advertise according to law for sealed bids for the building of house at Bayou La Croix for the bridge tender and the keeper of the poor house, as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office. The said bids to be delivered to the Clerk not later than 11 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 1st, 1926, each bid to be accompanied by casher's or certified check in the sum of \$150.00. The Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Report of the Negro Demonstration Agent was received, read and ordered filed.

Report of the County Health Officer was received, read and ordered filed.

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Wm. Bontemps, labor, Chap. Laws	18.25
James W. Vairin, supplies, Sec. 315, Code 1906	9.88
W. H. Starr, State vs. Quarman, Chap. Laws 1922	3.20
Jos. V. Bontemps, State vs. Quarman, Chap. Laws 1922	2.40
W. H. Starr, State vs. Gorman, Chap. Laws 1922	3.25
Jos. V. Bontemps, State vs. Gorman, Chap. Laws 1924	3.40
W. H. Starr, State vs. Fayard, Chap. Laws 1922	3.20
Jos. V. Bontemps, State vs. Fayard, Chap. Laws 1924	2.40
W. H. Starr, State vs. Besancon, Chap. Laws 1922	3.20

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MRS. E. BOUDIN, Third Street.

Jos. V. Bontemps, State vs. Besancon, Chap. Laws 1924

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Highway Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Turner Holden, right of way 25.00
Emile Cue, right of way 20.00

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Wednesday morning, February 3rd, 1926, at 9 o'clock.

H. S. WESTON, President.

Wednesday morning, February 3, 1926, Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Whereas it appears that the E. Z. Opner Bag Company have been assessed with the timber on the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 25, T. 7 S., R. 14 W., less the west ten acres thereof, amounting to \$1,000.00, and

Whereas there is no timber on said land and was no timber on said land on February 1st, 1925, and said timber was erroneously assessed, be it therefore ordered that said timber, amounting to \$1,000.00, be taken off of said assessment of said land. He it further ordered that a copy of this order be sent to the sheriff of Hancock County and State Auditor, so that they might take the proper credit for same.

Whereas the Board at the September meeting, 1924, transferred to the Road and Bridge Fund the sum of \$8,000.00 from the General County Fund, and whereas it appears that there is now enough money in said fund to return said money to General County Fund, be it therefore ordered that said money be paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund to the order of the General County Fund, in the sum of \$8,000.00.

Whereas Winfield Partridge filed with this Board a petition asking for a reduction in assessment, and said petition having been considered by the Board and the Board being of the opinion that the said assessment is not an overvaluation, be it therefore ordered that the said petition be and it is hereby rejected.

State of Mississippi, Hancock County.

We, Leo W. Seal, arbitrator appointed by the Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees, and Randolph Ladner,

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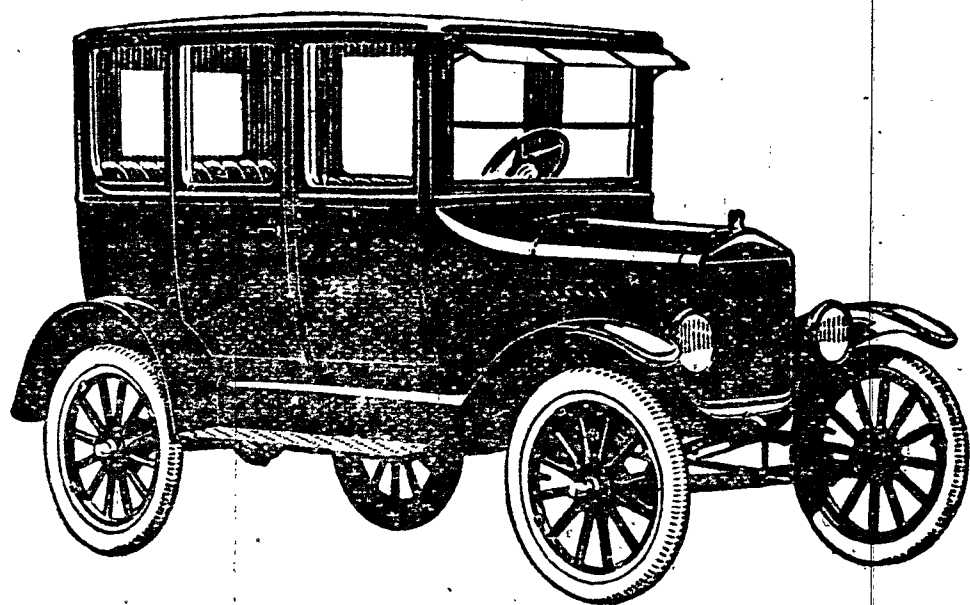
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

(Continued from Page Three.)

arbitrator appointed by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, do hereby select and appoint R. C. Engman as the third member of the Board of Arbitration to arbitrate the appeal of the Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees from the order of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, fixing and approving the valuation of their real property for taxation for the years 1925 and 1926, as shown by the land assessment roll of said county for said years, and approved by the State Tax Commission, without change.

Witness our signatures this 19th day of January, A. D. 1926:

Leo W. Seal, Arbitrator.
State of Mississippi, County of Hancock.
Before a Board of Arbitration, January, A. D. 1926. Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees versus The Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Appeal from assessment of taxes, and final judgment of the Board of Arbitration.

Be it remembered that we, Leo W. Seal, arbitrator appointed by the Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees, and Randolph Lanier, appointed by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, and K. C. Engman, arbitrator selected and appointed by said Leo W. Seal and Randolph Lanier, as a third member of said Board of Arbitration, met at the courthouse in Hancock county, Mississippi, on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1926, and organized a Board of Arbitration, when and where the said Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees and the said Board of Supervisors of said Hancock County, Mississippi, submitted to the said Board for its action and final decision the appeal of the said Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees from the order of the Board of Supervisors, fixing the valuation of the real property of said Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees for assessment in said county for the years 1925 and 1926, and this Board of Arbitration having considered all of the evidence offered by the Board of Supervisors of said county and having duly considered the same, the Board of Arbitration finds that the assessment of the real property of the said Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees and each and every item thereof as made by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, as shown on the land assessment roll of said county fair and reasonable value of said property for the years 1925 and 1926 for the years 1925 and 1926, and that said property is assessed, on said land assessment roll for 1925 and 1926 at its fair and reasonable value for taxation purposes and in proportion to other property of the same class in Hancock County and the State of Mississippi, and that the said assessment of said property by the said Board of Supervisors of said county should be and the same is hereby ratified, approved and confirmed.

It is thereupon considered and so ordered and adjudged by this Board of Arbitration that the valuation of the real property of said Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees in Hancock County, Mississippi, be and the same is hereby fixed on each and every item thereof at the value placed thereon by the Board of Supervisors of said county as shown on the land assessment roll of said county for the years 1925 and 1926, and reference is hereby made to the land assessment roll of said county for the years 1925 and 1926 for the valuation of each and every item of the said property as herein found, fixed and made by this Board of Arbitration.

It is further ordered that this order of this Board of Arbitration be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, and spread upon the minutes of the Board of Supervisors of said county.

It is further ordered that the Edward Hines Yellow Pine Trustees do and they are hereby taxed with all costs in said cause for which all proper process issue.

So ordered and adjudged by the Board of Arbitration this 19th day of January, A. D. 1926.

Leo W. Seal, Arbitrator.

Randolph Lanier, Arbitrator.

R. C. Engman, Arbitrator.

The petition of Joseph McKee for a road at Kilm, Miss., was received, read and ordered filed.

The report of the County Demonstration Agent was received, read and ordered filed.

Be it ordered by the Board that the bill of A. A. Kergosien, Clerk, for the fixing of certificates on Road and Bridge Bonds of Hancock County, in the sum of \$631.00, be and it is hereby rejected and ordered not paid.

Whereas the Legislature has had and still has for consideration a proposed law, known as "Stock Law," and which bill if passed would practically kill stock raising in South Mississippi, and

Whereas we have thousands and thousands of acres of cut-over lands that are not used at all for any purpose whatever and are doing no one any good, and

Whereas the stock owners of South Mississippi are mostly small farmers, with small tracts of land, and to pass the stock law would mean ruin to the people of South Mississippi, it would mean an end to sheep raising, as the sheep raised in South Mississippi will not stand to be fenced, and the farmers have not sufficient land to pasture their cattle, and

Whereas stock raising is an asset to South Mississippi and to pass this law would mean the killing or destroying of this enterprise, and South Mississippi needs all of the help that it can get now, because it is now going through a hard period in its existence, that is a period where the mills have been cut and the people of that section are trying to adjust themselves to the new conditions, and

Whereas we deem it to the advantage of the people of South Mississippi that this law do not pass and particularly to the people of Hancock County; be it therefore resolved that we call on our representative from this county and senator from this district, that they do all in their power to defeat this law leaving to the people of the several counties to pass such law as they deem best for their local self control.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this order be sent to the representative of this county and the senator from this senatorial district.

NEGRO EXTENSION WORK IN HANCOCK COUNTY AND WARELAND.

The Four Leaf Clover Home Demonstration Club for Girls had its second meeting for the year on Tuesday, the 19th, 1926, at the home of Mrs. Emma Miles.

In this meeting the girls were given a very effective demonstration in the study of eggs by the agent, Miss Bessie Rainey.

After the demonstration the girls discussed and prepared hard-cooked and creamed eggs on toast.

The lesson was taught and discussed as outlined.

People, "Study and Preparation of Eggs." 1. Structure of an egg. 2. Care and preservation. 3. Use in diet. 4. Two ways of preparing.

After the lesson on hard-cooked eggs was completed, the same eggs were converted into creamed eggs on toast.

This marks the third lesson on breakfast dishes which has been prepared by the girls.

The aims for preparing these particular dishes are:

1. To teach the pupil the proper breakfast foods.

2. To teach the proper method of preparing each, and the use of each in the body.

3. To be able to prepare a well-balanced breakfast and serve it.

4. To create accuracy, cleanliness and skill.

In connection with the lesson a very splendid talk was given on "What It Means to Know Something," by Mr. W. H. Ruhl, trustee of the Wareland school.

Everyone was very much surprised by the forceful and effective talk and was very grateful to Mr. Ruhl. The next lesson will be the cooking and serving of a breakfast. The aims are: 1. To properly cook and serve a breakfast. 2. To learn to properly set a table.

ABOUT WOMEN.

Miss A. M. Maloney, of Cincinnati, who was a stenographer twenty years ago, recently sold a proprietary medicine business which she owned for close to a million dollars.

Miss Arline Zaudrier, a Vienna actress, left the stage and entered a convent when her recent appearance in a new play was a failure.

Miss Doris Reid, who went from Toronto, Canada, to New York eight years ago to earn her living, now has a \$10,000 a year position as a designer of young women's frocks.

After considerable opposition, the Senate has confirmed the appointment of Miss Jessie Dell as United States civil service commissioner.

Miss Daisy B. Teepie is the Detroit representative of Southern lumber mills and sells about a million dollars' worth of their product a year.

Mrs. Florence Ayscough, born in Shanghai of a Canadian mother and a Boston father, has been seven times around the world and has lost count of the times she crossed the Atlantic and Pacific.

Mrs. Ethel Nightingale, director of

the National Women's Institute, of England, is in Alabama studying its system of educational work among farm women and girls.

Mrs. A. L. MacSeat is the only woman member of the foreign diplomatic corps in Washington, being secretary of the Irish Free State legation.

Mrs. Flossie E. Erickson of Bloomington, Ill., was chosen queen of the Chicago radio show, a distinction won

by having listened in on 240 broadcasting stations.

Mrs. Elizabeth K. Reis was elected mayor of Shakopee, Minn., defeating the town's former political machine.

Mrs. O. R. Reggin, of Des Moines, Ill., declares that her horse charged a tramp who had attacked her and drove him away.

When asked by a Chicago judge

why she had submitted to numerous beatings by her husband, Mrs. R. H. Compton replied: "Because husbands are hard to get."

Miss Catherine Porter, of Chicago, was married to H. C. Coulter, while standing at the bedside of her dying father.

Mrs. Mary Tinkleman, of Philadelphia, was arrested for making remarks about a neighbor woman's short skirts.



Telephone Service Improves As Calls Increase

THE large number of new telephones added to the Bell System in Mississippi last year has greatly increased the value of the service and extended its scope by including thousands of new subscribers.

This growth has been reflected in the number of calls handled daily by the operators, who are responding cheerfully to your needs and maintaining quick and dependable service.

It is estimated that the operating forces handled more than 133,277,607 originating local calls and 3,380,335 long distance messages in Mississippi alone last year. This was an increase of about 8 per cent over the previous year; a daily average of 403,464 local calls and 10,233 long distance calls.

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EMINENT MEN AND WOMEN OF NEW ORLEANS.

Past and Present.

Mrs. Eliza J. Nicholson—"Pearl Rivers."

(By MRS. JAMES J. McLOUGHLIN, in New Orleans "Life.")

The literature of Louisiana contains many brilliant names and those figuring in the decades between 1870 and 1900 form a galaxy of local celebrities with fame extending into national circles. Among gifted people breathing genius into publications of their time stands the personality of "Pearl Rivers," whose sweet songs were given to readers through columns of a great newspaper that afterwards flourished under her control.

Mrs. Eliza J. Nicholson has been chosen for the opening sketch of this series, and the author hastens to portray the distinguished woman who has long been dead to New Orleans. She proved herself in literary fields demonstrating the remarkable ability that made her a vital factor in the big thriving paper she owned through her husband's death. Journalism and literature claim Mrs. Nicholson. Her individuality was stamped on many phases of city life where her work opened doors of opportunity to Southern women hitherto bound by chains of local conventionality. When the beautiful, gifted Eliza Nicholson, then Mrs. Holbrook, shouldered the burden of a heavily indebted paper, she pronounced an "open sesame" that admitted numberless members of her sex to remunerative occupation. Stepping boldly into the vortex of journalistic competition, she adopted methods that endeared her to every department of the New Orleans Picayune. Assistants were chosen with such wisdom and discrimination that her name became the watchword of success. Mrs. Nicholson was not only a pioneer in her line but was the only woman in the world to own and operate a big daily paper.

Let us go back to the childhood of this gifted woman when, as Eliza Poitevent, she lived in a large and beautiful country home at Pearl River, Miss. The death of her mother placed the solitary child in care of a devoted aunt, Mrs. Leonard Kimball, who lavished affection upon this niece already displaying poetic tendencies. The child was inspired by the lovely scenery around her home, living in the tangled woods that banked the stream from which she took the name "Pearl Rivers." Creatures of water, wood and air were companions and she personified the very wind that tossed the pine trees and the brook that murmured lullabies to her poetic soul. She was in truth the "poet laureate of the woods" and these idealized phantasies of youth became the lyrics that first attracted attention of literary critics to her verses.

Col. A. M. Holbrook admired the quaint and charming style of Miss Poitevent and offered her the literary editorship of the Picayune. Although possessed of wealth and position, the

gifted young woman felt irresistibly drawn to this work for which she was well adapted by inherent talent. Her family objected at first and much comment was elicited by the action of a prominent figure in social circles entering journalistic fields with a fixed salary.

Fortunately, those narrow days have passed forever and grateful acknowledgment is due the brave and intrepid spirit that prompted Eliza Poitevent to vision the emancipation of her sisters.

A few years after accepting this position, Miss Poitevent became Mrs. A. M. Holbrook. Later, when death claimed her husband, Mrs. Holbrook assumed control of his paper, and with her own delicate hands forced it back from the verge of failure into verdant field of success.

In 1878 "Pearl Rivers" married Mr. George Nicholson, the splendid business assistant who first won admiration and then love with life-long devotion. An ideal home with two fine children, fame, success and social honors were given this unusual woman. Hers was a character crowned with altruistic inspiration, and no one ever called to her for help in vain. Sophie Wright and Margaret Halgerty testified to the generosity of Mrs. Nicholson, who was quick to discern devotion to humanity and bring it forward to obtain deserved co-operation.

A great snook came in the midst of this busy, happy life. Mr. Nicholson's sudden death prostrated and crushed the loving wife. Such a blow was more than she could stand and in one more week Mrs. Nicholson was laid to rest beside the husband whose companionship she could not relinquish. She died February 15th, 1896, and left two sons to mourn her loss. Mr. Leonard K. Nicholson and Mr. York P. Nicholson, both prominently connected with the Times-Picayune at present, were children when this bereavement occurred.

Special admiration has always been given the exquisite lyrics of "Pearl Rivers." Although "Hagar" and "Leah" are poems full of dramatic force that placed them among American classics, the tender woodland verses of Mrs. Nicholson are her particular forte and their charming lines endeared her to Southern readers. In these poems of nature she seems to invite us into the forest where we hear the tinkle of the blue-

bell and interpret the voice of the birds. Her poem "Calling" reveals versatility and great beauty of thought, haunting the soul with yearning that almost severs the veil wrought by death.

CALLING.

Over the mountains of winter,
And the cold, cold plains of snow,
And down the valleys of summer,
Calling my love I go.

And strong is my woe and passion
I climb up the hills of spring
To list if I hear her singing,
The songs that she used to sing.

I wa't in the fields of autumn,
And gather a feast of fruit,
And call my love to the banquet,
But the lips of my love are mute.

I stand at the gates of morning
Where the radiant angels of light
Draw back the bolts of darkness,
And I wait by the gates of night.

When the hands of the pale stars
Tremble,
While clasping their lanterns
Bright,

In hopes I may see her passing,
And touch but her garments white.

I say to the wild bird flying,
"My lost love sang like you;
Fly low to the earth in search of her,
Then high to the sky of blue."

And I say to the wildwood flowers,
"She was a friend to you;
Send over of your fragrant spirit
To the misty isle of dew."

O love, if you hear me calling,
Flee not from the wailing cry,
Come forth from the halls of silence,
And answer me, or I die.

Stand out on the hills of echo,
The sensitive pulsing air,
Will thrill at your slightest whisper,
And speak to me love from there.

Oh, love, if I heard you calling,
Though far on the happy side,
My voice would float over the billows
And answer you, oh, my bride!

INTERESTING NOTES.

A Persian cat sold by Mrs. C. H. Rigdon, of Sterling, Ill., returned a week later, after being carried fifty miles in a basket.

Miss Lillian Lewis was returned to her home in Wales after wearing male attire and living as a man for five years in London.

Requesting annulment of her marriage, Mrs. Catherine Muir, of Hull, England, declared that she was induced to wed after being given beer that "tasted strange."

After taking the usual oath in a Chicago police court, Mrs. Rosa Matson added: "I also swear I will give the right advice to the court."

A pet monkey belonging to Mrs. William Phillips, of Swansea, Wales, was killed by police after it became vicious and bit three women.

WEEKLY ECHOES FROM ST. STANISLAUS

Examinations Are Over.

Monday morning we heard the results of our hard work of the previous week. The results were praised by the president, Brother Macarius, and many were complimented on their high averages. Dana Johnston made the highest per cent in the school, 99. As this number was called, it was greeted by a great burst of applause. The leaders of the various classes were: Twelfth Grade Commercial, Ewell Brignac and Dave Keiffer, both with an average of 96. Twelfth Grade Scientific, Charles Waters, with an average of 95. Eleventh Grade A, Lucas Vaccaro, 89. Eleventh Grade B, John Hunter, 91. Tenth Grade, Johnson and O'Leary, 99.

When all the results had been called we were given the rest of the day.

Athletics.

Athletic activities have been going on with a bang for the past ten days. Louisiana State left here, having dropped two games; then came the Clark Memorial quintette, who made the same mistake as several others—thought that Stanislaus was easy pickings.

The games were good practice for the Commercial bunch and for Apola. The latter team plays here Saturday night and Sunday afternoon and a great crowd should be on hand. The Frosh gave us a heat spanking a few weeks ago in the city. Every team has one team or another experienced such and everyone knows, too, that two is more than enough. The games to be played should be great, as both teams are anxious to win. Last year we took four games from the Maroon bunch. They are determined that the number shall be to their credit this season and the Rock-a-Chaws are equally determined that they shall wipe out their previous defeats.

Junior Game.

Brother Conrad's stars beat the Logtown Minims Monday night in a very interesting game. The score at the half stood 11 to 8 in favor of the visitors, but when the half started the "pee wee" Rock-a-Chaws had some of the spirit of their older brothers and baskets were sunk in great fashion. Colotta and George Toca were the stars for the "Pee Wees." Everyone is interested to know what Brother Conrad told his charges.

Tuesday night two little teams from the little yard took the floor. The "Kluxers" defeated the Black Hands easily. Colotta, of the "Kluxers," put in only 13 field goals, while the best that the whole Black Hands crowd could make was seven goals.

Heard Around the Campus.

Bro—Billy, read the next letter.
Billy—Yes, sir.
Bro—What did I tell you about that "Yes, sir?"
Billy—You said not to say it any more, Bro.
Bro—Well, cut it out, then.
Billy—YES, SIR.

A Pre-Valentine.

Dear Friend:
I want to tell you a thing, so it is. I like you and love you. But you must not tell anybody this.
I don't tell your name, but you will tell me after and answer what I tell you before. As you read this paper tremble, for to some were. I believe that you don't tell to anybody and if you tell to somebody, I won't be your friend, then, you have to be quite and don't tell anybody.
Your most sweetheart,
Anonymous.

Some Answers Received in Examinations.

Define Minion—A place for keeping pigs.
Name the five senses—Igneous, metamorphic, shale.
Define harbinger—An old-time sailor.

Some one told Abie Lobrano that he should not open his mouth when he laughed, because there was great danger of swallowing his nose.

It has been whispered that our distinguished classmate, F. Sator, has been consulting a fortune teller. We notice that he had taken on more of a shine.

Billy Gordon has been looking for his proboscis for a week—won't someone help him find it?

It is spoken that Billy Gordon has gone into the dog business. He is starting off with a Scandinavian police dog. We wish him success in his vocation.

It was a shame that we were forbidden to do the Charleston at the dance after the game Sunday.

Our friend, Ed. Watts, is still conned to bed. He has a torn muscle in his left leg, which is taking a long time to heal. He wishes to be remembered to his friends.

Grady Perkins refereed the second game of the Clark Memorial series. He found it easier to play than to judge. We say his officiating was as commendable as any that we have had this year.

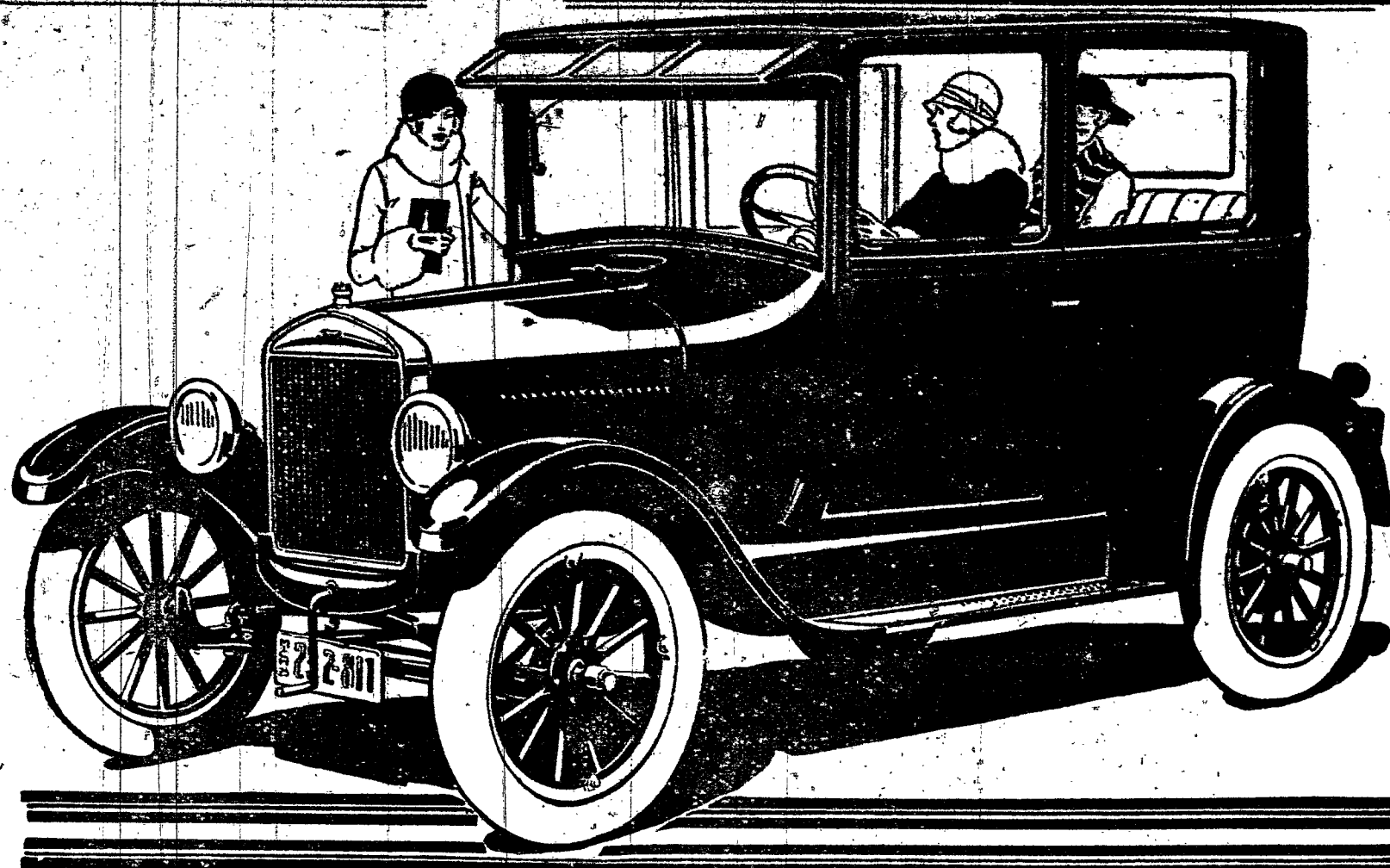
Many of the boys have been making the acquaintance of Madame La Grippe for the past week. None seemed to like her stay nor her method of entertaining. Her menu consists of calomel, epsom for dinner, some pills for dessert, and pluto as a demi-tasse. We hope that Thursday's sunshine is here permanently, for it drove her away.

We fear the dreadful consequences that would result if Roy Blount would get more than one hair cut a month.

Dusty held a large club over Barney Google's head the other day and told him if he didn't take a bath he would club him. Barney proudly said, "Hit me now and have it over with."

Class '26.

Jennie Reid, aged 13, saved six-year-old horse from a burning barn at Jamestown, N. D.



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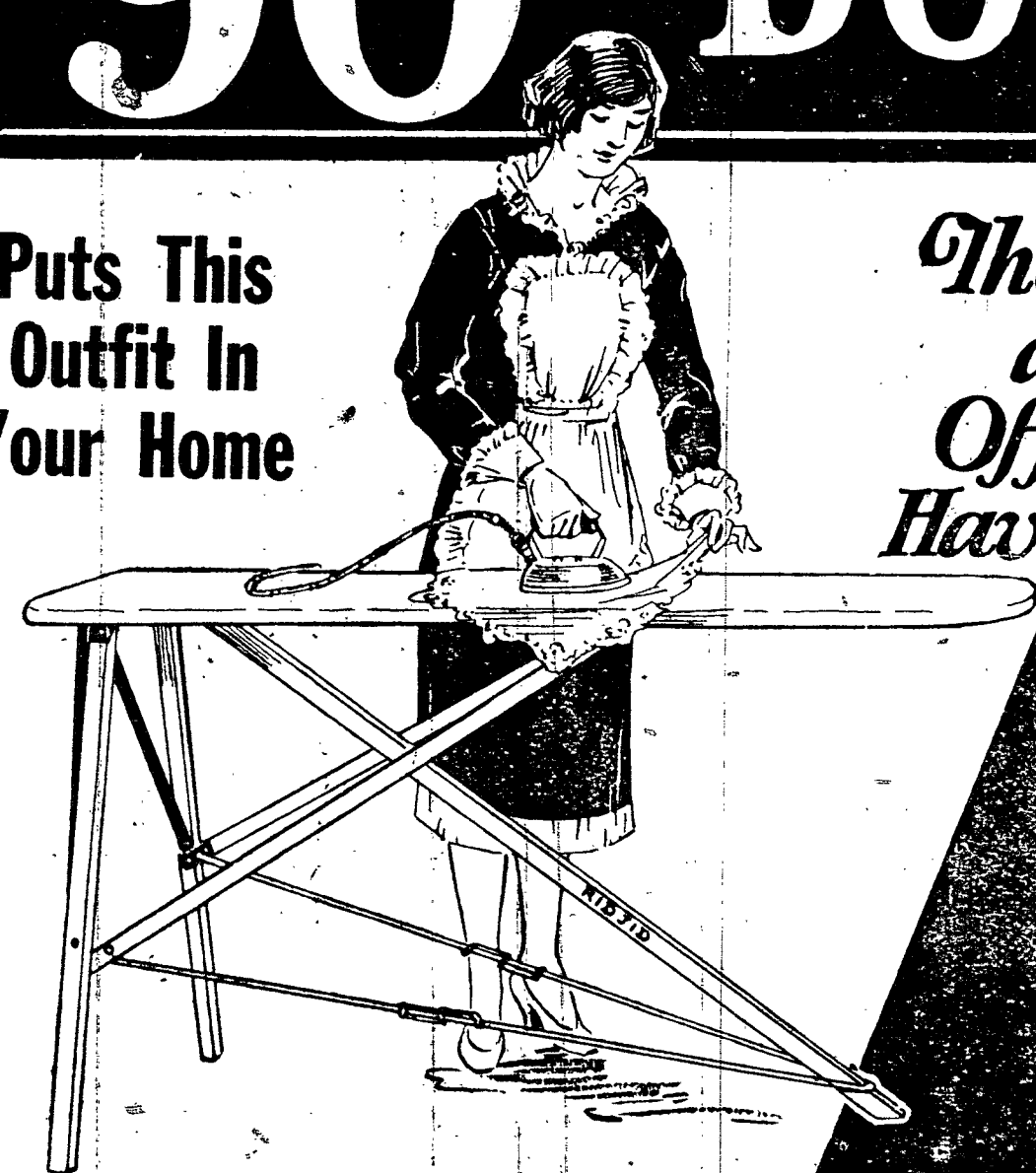
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, at the office of the Clerk of said Board, not later than 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday, March 1, 1926, for building road from Caesar Road, at or near James Foster's, to Pinyune Road, at or near the intersection of said roads, as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office. Each bid to be accompanied by cashiers' or certified check in the sum of \$150.00. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This the 4th day of February, A. D. 1926. (Seal.) A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk. By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, at the office of the Clerk of said Board, not later than 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday, March 1, 1926, for building of bridge over the graveling that part of Old Spanish Trail that lies between Main street and Second street, by way of Pinyune road, as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office. Each bid to be accompanied by cashiers' or certified check in the sum of \$250.00. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This the 4th day of February, A. D. 1926. (Seal.) A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk. By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, at the City Hall, until 6 o'clock P. M., February 6th, 1926, for building ten sidewalk catchers, as per plans and specifications on file at the City Hall. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. J. J. LADNER, Secretary. January 2, 1926.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of the provisions of that certain deed of trust, executed by Alfred Schell, on January 23rd, 1922, to W. J. Gex, Trustee, to secure an indebtedness mentioned therein in favor of S. H. Stratton, which deed of trust is recorded in Book 16, page 338, of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Hancock County and, whereas, the said Alfred Schell, by virtue of the said assignment, did, on January 18th, 1926, appoint me as said Trustee instead of W. J. Gex, which appointment is recorded in Book 20, pages 386 and 394, of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Hancock County and, whereas, default having been made in the indebtedness to be secured by said deed of trust, I, J. D. Arrington, Substituted Trustee, will, on Monday, February 15th, 1926, within legal hours, in front of the Court House of Hancock County, sell to the highest bidder for cash the lands described by the said deed of trust, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of Section twenty-six (26), Township seven (7), south, Range fifteen (15) west, in Hancock County, Mississippi, subject to that deed of trust executed on the same land by M. L. Kelley to C. L. Waller in favor of Carolina Land Company, as said deed of trust is recorded in Book 16, page 312, of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Hancock County, to satisfy the indebtedness above mentioned. Advertised, posted and dated this January 21st, 1926. J. D. ARRINGTON, Substituted Trustee.

Blue Pennant Cords

THE broad, thick semi-flat tread of Blue Pennant Cords gives sure traction in the worst going, with less traction wear and consequently greater service.

The combined result of this exceptional semi-flat tread and extra strong construction is a length of easy-riding, trouble-free service which proves that equipping with Blue Pennant Cords is a distinct economy.

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The Federal Authorized Sales Agency and Sign are a Guarantee of a Square Deal on Quality, Price and Service.

CHANCERY SUIT NO. 2854.

The State of Mississippi, if alive, and if dead, his unknown heirs at law and legatees; to Gaston Delville, if alive, and if dead, his unknown heirs at law and legatees, and any and all persons having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described land, lying and being in the First Ward of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi: The west 150 feet of Lot 327, of the First Ward of the City of Bay St. Louis, as per the Drake Map or plat of said city, made by D. S. Drake, C. E., and filed in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, on May 1st, 1923. You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of February, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit in said court of R. L. Gouin and G. J. Gex, wherein you are defendants, in a suit to confirm title. This the 18th day of December, A. D. 1925. (Seal.) A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk. By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

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Hall's Catarrh Medicine is a combined local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for forty years. Sold by all druggists. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

Gold bars worth \$200,000 had to be guarded for 24 hours after a truck carrying it from Gravesend to London ran into a ditch and was wrecked.

The Sea Coast Echo

C. G. Moreau, Editor and Publisher

City Echoes.

Stovewood for sale. Phone 253-M.

WANTED—One thousand peaches. Address F. A. Tomlinson, Gulfport, Miss.

Mrs. Remy Klock has returned from New Orleans, where she spent while visiting relatives and friends to mutual pleasure.

Camille Jacquet sold his business this week, the Beach Garage, to out-of-town parties, who will continue to conduct the business. Mr. Jacquet has no matured plans for the future.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Darden and children, of New Orleans, spent the week-end as house guests of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Rea. The party spent Sunday motoring along the Gulf Coast highway.

How Could Paul Be Happy in Prison? Learn Paul's secret of happiness, so that you can tell others. B. Y. P. U., 6:30. Be early and bring a friend. Baptist Church, Bay St. Louis.

Dr. C. M. Shipp is home from Jackson, where he has been spending considerable time before the Legislature in the interest of the betterment of health conditions in the State in general.

Mr. George Hoffmann and sisters, Misses Katie and Alma Hoffmann, have moved from Main street to the Ebbey bungalow in Union street, where they are charmingly domiciled. The Hoffmann home was sold last spring, the family seeking a smaller dwelling.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard C. Shields are spending a while in New Orleans for an indefinite period. Many friends of the Shields family will learn with interest that Mrs. Shields' condition has improved considerably since she has been away and that her improvement is steady.

As Saturday, February 13th, approaches, candidates for municipal preferment become more active and general interest grows apace. Let it be said to the credit of the candidates this has been one of the campaigns noted for the high order upon which it is conducted and also the cordial lines by all concerned. Each candidate is running upon his own merits and not making capital out of the demerits of others. This is of interest and noteworthy where so large a number of aspirants are contesting.

J. C. Roland, candidate for assessor and tax collector, recently withdrew from the race in the interest of a more permanent business proposition which he is contemplating. "Even though in the event I were successful the race would be a certainty for at least two years, and as I have plans, about matured, for something more lasting, I have withdrawn in favor of the latter."

Mr. Roland's withdrawal removes one of the three-cornered of the several in the kind in this race, with a nip and tuck contest to be participated in by Messrs. Egloff and Bangard.

From the Board of Supervisors' proceedings it will be learned that a contract will be let for the grading and graveling of Hancock avenue, from Second street to connect with the Old Spanish Trail, the first part of Uman, from Front to Second, to be coated with Warrenite, preliminary work upon which has begun. It is interesting to note the constant had permanent improvement of the city streets. The hope is expressed that the time is not far distant when every street in the city will be hard-surfaced. It will be a forward step to economy.

The Echo's subscription campaign is progressing at a most satisfactory rate, and advertisers will find this advertising medium one of greater result than ever. When this greater circulation campaign was evolved for The Echo, it was planned to place the paper as a regular visitor into every home in the city of Bay St. Louis and Hancock county, and it is gratifying indeed even at this early stage of the contest to note this aim will be realized and such an ambitious goal achieved. The Echo's usefulness as a booster and developer with a "high voltage" circulation will be all the more to the good.

The Louisiana Highway Department announces the new ferry service at Chief and Rigolets, connecting the Mississippi Gulf Coast with New Orleans, will be put in operation Monday, the 8th. Every obstacle that prevented inaugurating this service earlier has been removed and it is expected that the new service will go in promptly and remain in force—Capt. Abner Hursey, the veteran, will have the ferries in charge. This new double ferry service, over the Chief and Rigolets will save both time and money. Both are important factors in making this trip. Thus another link in the Old Spanish Trail has been improved.

Ground was broken and work started this week on the \$12,000.00 safety deposit vault of the Merchants Bank and Trust Company, the contract for which was recently given to Geary & Oakes, New Orleans and Bay St. Louis. All steel fitting and other equipment supplied by the Master Safe Company, of Hamilton, Ohio. Mr. Geary informs The Echo work will be rushed to its earliest completion possible. This improvement was noted in extenso in a recent issue of this paper.

The House has passed both bills recently introduced by Representative R. L. Genin, one to authorize certain bonds to be issued for the building of the Waveland sea wall and the other to permit and giving certain exemptions for the building of the proposed bridge from Engman avenue, Bay St. Louis, to Shell Beach, where the Pina Hills Hotel is in course of construction.

Owners of Waveland and others will learn with more than ordinary interest of the success of the Waveland sea wall bill. That it will pass the Senate there is no doubt, since it is a matter of purely local interest. Incidentally, we might say, it is noted that Representative Genin has introduced quite a number of bills and a large proportion of the number have already passed the House.

MISS DAY ENTERTAINS BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE GROUP.

Group No. 1 of the B. Y. P. U. entertained group No. 2 with a Valentine party at the home of Miss Ruth Day, the captain. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion.

Miss Sarah Hunt with her charming personality made the games and contests popular during the evening. Music was furnished by Miss Mamie Harper.

The Clark Memorial basketball boys were the guests of the group. Miss Day was assisted in receiving by Miss Sarah Hunt and Mrs. J. J. Hood.

Refreshments consisted of a dainty salad course.

Scripture Reading, Matthew 25, 31-46—By Helene Cowan.

Prayer—Mr. Gillis.

Introduction to Lesson—Miss Elsie Day.

Our Scripture Selection—Mr. Billy Harper.

Story Showing Personal Service—Miss Mamie Harper.

Christians—the Saving Salt—Miss Hilda Weir.

The Personal Appeal Wins—Miss Jean Horton.

Plan for Personal Service—S. F. O'Neil.

Special Song—Miss Jean Horton.

Prayer and Give—Mr. M. E. Gillis.

A WORD TO THE VOTERS.

As the city campaign is drawing to a close, election taking place next Saturday, I wish to say a word of solicitation toward my success at the polls. The outlook for my success is promising and I wish to voice my appreciation to the many who are favoring me.

As is well known, I favor better public schools, more school houses, playgrounds for children and a policy of stand fast for the quicker and permanent development of our city. We have reached a stage in our existence where every resource will have to be developed and every element for permanent progress brought forth.

I am anxious for a more progressive and business like administration, and if elected it will be my aim to make it so. Hoping to be favored with your vote next Saturday, I remain,

Yours for progress,
H. C. GLOVER.
Bay St. Louis, Miss., Feb. 5, 1926.

Good Things To Eat February 18th.

Waffles and syrup, sandwiches and coffee, served every Thursday, 12 to 4, next door to Miss Welch. A treat in store for you. Prices reasonable.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO HOLD MEETING.

Tuesday, February 9th, instead of the usual Third Tuesday of Month. Mrs. Drake To Be Hostess, at Home in Uman Avenue.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will hold its February meeting on next Tuesday, the 9th instant, instead of the third Tuesday, the usual date. All members are urged to be present, as the work of the coming year will be discussed. A resume of the zone meeting held in Biloxi last Thursday will also be given.

Every woman interested in church work is invited and is assured of a warm welcome.

The hour is 3 p. m. and the hostess is Mrs. E. S. Drake, at her home on Uman avenue.

Publicity Agent.

WORK AND PLAY

AT S. J. A.

The Spelling Match.

Guess what? Just imagine we, the Juniors, are going to compete against the Seniors in a spelling match. The Juniors were "they" ought to be, aren't they Seniors?

Regardless of their lack of confidence in themselves, the Juniors studied long and vigorously to triumph over Class '26.

For several days a continual buzzing around the subject could be heard. Upon further investigation it was discovered that the Juniors were studying more diligently (if such a thing were possible) to come out victorious in that long-expected spelling match. However, they were doomed to keen disappointment, for the Seniors were just as determined to "put one over" on the honorable Class '27. And we did.

Special credit must be given Evelyn Boh for upholding the honor of the Juniors.

Miss Batson held out the longest, with Alice Blaize second. Attractive prizes were awarded to the winners.

We are now preparing for a second contest, and the Juniors claim it will be an altogether different tale. How about it, Seniors?

Sea Sprite.

Work on the Sea Sprite is progressing splendidly. Each and every girl is doing her share in preparing the annual. Judging from the looks of things, the fourth volume of the Sea Sprite will surpass the previous editions.

The preparation of the annual is under the supervision of the following staff:

Editor in chief, Bessie Batson; assistant editor, Mary Scaife; business managers, Alice Blaize, Beatrice Smith, Mary Bourgoyne; social editor, Evelyn Boh; staff writers, Victor Gabrie, Vivian Blaize; fun editor, Kitty O'Leary; photograph editors, Caroline Logan, Evelyn Boh; typists, Marcelle Teliard, Yvonne LeBlanc; Subscriptions, Alberta Beyer.

Athletics.

The postponement of the game between the Speakers of St. Joseph Academy, New Orleans, and our Jays was the cause of many mournful "Oh's" and "Ah's." The delay, instead of dampening our enthusiasm, makes us anticipate the game all the more eagerly.

The Jays intend going to Biloxi Wednesday afternoon to meet the Biloxi High School team. Good luck, girls! Of course, you'll come back victorious. Yeah team!

Bay High Game.

On Tuesday the Gold J's once more encountered their old opponents, Bay Hi, on the field of action. It was the most interesting and hardest fought game of the season. Both teams were determined to win, and hence the result was a tie score, 17-17.

Now keep up the good work, team, and give us some more interesting games.

Gold Jays Complimented.

A surprise is always a very pleasant thing, especially when it is the reward for something well done. That is why the Jays appreciated so much the little treat given them by Mrs. Bourgoyne, last Wednesday evening.

Without any further notice than, "We're going hiking," all the athletes left the convent after school and were more than surprised to walk into the Tea Room a few moments later, and found everything so nicely prepared for them. The team's gold cars were decorated with tiny red flowers. Toasts and speeches kept everyone entertained and debates were the favorite attraction of the afternoon. You may rest assured that everyone had a most enjoyable time and we express to our charming hostesses (Mary makes the es) sincere thanks for affording a delightful afternoon.

State High Supervisor's Visit.

S. J. A. was greatly honored to receive a visit last Monday morning from Mr. F. C. Jenkins, State High School supervisor.

Building, class rooms and apparatus received favorable comment from our distinguished visitor. The pleasure of the students over this visit was considerably lessened when they heard that Mr. Jenkins would on his next visit devote some time to a quiz.

The Seven Wonders of the World.

1. Mary Bourgoyne has decided to become a trained nurse.

2. Melva has adopted a song of her own.

3. Bessie's formula to keep hair from growing back curly.

4. Leon's deportment grade leading the Sophomore class.

5. Bee Smith stood up for four rounds in the spelling match.

6. Louise and Ellen don't mind staying home from the ball games.

Who Is—

Margaret's Prize Fighter? Bessie's Beau Brummel? Melva's Special? Mary Bourgoyne's Patient? Alice's Latest? Evelyn's Rival? Vivian's Author? Louise's Valet? Louise's Ring Bearer?

The Height of Dumbness.

A girl who jumps up and down, counting seventy-two, and thinks she knows the steps of the latest dance.

First Honors.

Seniors: Bessie Batson, Alice Blaize, Mary Scaife.

Freshmen: Hazel Kergosien, Verne Watson, Lois DeArmas.

Seventh Grade: Suzanne Starliker.

Sixth Grade: Alice Lee Byrnes. Fifth Grade: Joyce Wolf. Fourth Grade: Alice Comors.

Second Honors.

Seniors: Kitty O'Leary, Caroline Logan.

Anna May Blaize, Gertrude Partridge, Marion Heitzmann. Seventh Grade: Eloise Quintini, Adella Gabrie. Sixth Grade: Effie G. Powers, Yvonne Lacasse, Ruth Bard, Catherine Benvenutti, Yvonne Strong. Fifth Grade: Frances Scattee. Fourth Grade: Jeannette Andonie.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

As this will be the last publication of our local paper before the day of election, I wish to embrace this method to again call the attention of the voters that I am making an intensive campaign for election to the office of Assessor and Tax Collector.

I would respectfully ask the support and vote of every lady and gentleman of the city who can consistently do so, and in return I assure them my very best effort and attention to the discharge of the duties of the office. All of my time will be given to the work, as I will have no other duties or interests demanding my attention.

In advance, I wish to thank one and all who will do for me what they can next Saturday.

With due appreciation, respectfully,
MURRAY T. BANGARD.

A. & G. THEATRE PROGRAM.

Attractions To Be Shown Next Week.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8: Marie Prentiss and Monte Blue in "The Lover of Camille".

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9: Betty Bronson (Peter Pan) in "Are Parents People?".

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10: John Barrymore in "Beau Brummel".

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11: John Bowers and Margaret de la Motte in "When a Man's a Man".

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12: William Desmond and Gareth Hughes in "The Sunset Trail".

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13: "The Troubles of a Bride," a Fox Special.

This will be a good program on Sunday night at the A. & G. for the benefit of St. Mary's Cemetery fund.

HOTEL WESTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Scharf, St. Louis, Mo.; J. Carr, New Orleans, La.; E. H. Selby, Gulfport, Miss.; J. T. Dradis, F. E. Malone, A. G. Tebo, C. H. Cobb, Catherine Thomas, Mrs. J. B. Thomas, New Orleans, La.; J. H. Hodson, Horace Hinds, Port Worth, Texas; E. C. Weston, W. C. O'Leary, Logtown, Mo.; J. C. Dea, Bay St. Louis, La.; A. B. Russell, City, and Mrs. W. L. Anderson, Lincoln, Neb.; J. B. Oyska, Miss. Ruth Perkins, F. H. Kimbrough, Biloxi, Miss.; W. V. Shelly, Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Vetsburg, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Gainsburg, Birmingham, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Jenkins, J. M. Kor, H. H. Lewis, Alton, Ill.; D. F. Merrin, Jackson, Miss.; C. L. Weston, A. C. Weston, M. Howard, H. S. Weston, Logtown, Mo.; H. Y. Lebedev, or opposed to the law of the State of Mississippi.

Mr. C. F. Schmitz, John Reinhard, Mrs. S. H. Lomburg, G. R. Beck, F. E. Stokes, H. H. Koker, F. A. Campbell, Earl Gross, W. H. Howell, W. A. Hood, A. Gore, W. M. Griffin, H. B. Asher, New Orleans, La.; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Waters, Alexandria, La.; Mrs. W. T. Spear, L. H. Spear, Columbus, Ohio; N. Ferguson, St. Louis, Mo.; W. R. Lewis, Alton, Ill.; D. F. Merrin, Laurel, Miss.; Jack Belmont, Mrs. W. Paterson, Mrs. Bant and family, St. Louis, Mo.; Dick H. Hogan, Little Rock, Ark.; C. W. Hopkins, Washington, D. C.; and Mrs. E. B. Hayes, Nashville, Tenn.

Rotary Supper: E. J. Leonard, R. N. Blaize, A. A. Scaife, G. T. Temple, F. P. Cassidy, H. U. Canty, Jos. O. Mauffray, O. H. DeArmas, J. C. DeArmas, Leo W. Seal, Dr. J. A. Evans, A. J. Gmelch, E. W. Drackett, C. G. Moore, M. Gills, City.

Mrs. A. Camors' Bridge Luncheon, January 30, 1926. Mr. J. C. DeArmas, hostess. Mrs. H. U. Canty, Mrs. E. J. Leonard, Mrs. D. Marshall, Mrs. E. J. Leonard, Mrs. H. H. Lewis, Alton, Ill.; D. F. Merrin, St. Louis, Miss.; A. Fournier, Waveland; Mrs. O. Crawford, Mrs. R. deMontigny, Mrs. C. Penrose, Miss Lodiger, Mrs. W. Partridge, Mrs. S. Power, Mrs. V. Camors, Bay St. Louis.

DELINQUENT TAX SALE FOR THE CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that I will, on MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1926, at the front door of the City of Bay St. Louis, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described land, delinquent for City, School, Special School Building, Sinking Bond, Waterworks and Sea Wall Tax due thereon for the year 1925, or so much thereof as will satisfy said taxes and all costs to-wit:

Theresa I. Waters, north 146 1/2 feet of lot 23 - all, lot 103.	1	93\$ 45	50\$ 80	30\$ 30			\$ 208 25	40\$ 3.95	\$ 3.95
Lucy H. Christy, Leonard Sub. Div. bld. 2 lots 20 and 21.	1	143\$ 67	75\$ 120	45			45	50\$ 6.25	
Div. bld. 4 lots 13, 14, 15.	1	700\$ 3.00	4.00	6.40	2.40		2.40	75\$ 120 28.35	
Unity Realty Co., lots 137, 138.	1	237\$ 11.25	12.50	20.00	7.50		37.50	50\$ 414.79	
Unity Realty Co., lots 137, 138.	1	3.80	1.80	2.00	3.20	1.20	1.20	25\$ 40 13.85	
Sub. Div. 14 to frac 18, 19, 20, 21, 30, 31 to 46.	1	2.85	1.35	1.50	2.40	0.90	0.90	1.25	2.00
Sub. Div. 5 to 22 inc. frac 23, 24 and 25.	1	48\$ 22	25\$ 40	15			15	25\$ 40 2.50	
Nora Maurice, lot 285.	1	95\$ 45	50\$ 80	30			30	25\$ 40 3.95	
Mrs. Rosa Cuevas, lot 318.	1	133\$ 25	15.75	17.50	28.00	10.50	10.50	25\$ 40 116.15	
Mrs. Rosa Cuevas, Carroll Sub. Div. 10.	1	123\$ 11.25	12.50	20.00	7.50		7.50	25\$ 40 83.15	
Mrs. H. G. Lucas, Carroll Sub. Div. west 33 ft. of 14.	1	3.80	1.80	2.00	3.20	1.20	1.20	25\$ 40 13.85	
Mrs. H. G. Lucas, Carroll Sub. Div. east 23 1/2 ft. of 15.	1	1.90	0.90	1.00	1.60	0.60	0.60	25\$ 40 7.25	
R. N. Stephens, lot 383.	1	5.70	2.70	3.00	4.80	1.80	1.80	25\$ 40 20.45	
Wm. Twickler, Cazeneuve & Boudages Sub. Div. 165 to 167 inc.	1	1.35	0.65	0.70	1.12	0.42	0.42	50\$ 80 5.92	
Wm. Rednour, Cazeneuve & Boudages Sub. Div. 155 to 157 inc.	1	48\$ 22	25\$ 40	15			15	50\$ 80 2.95	
Ramond Twickler, Cazeneuve & Boudages Sub. Div. 159.	1	48\$ 22	25\$ 40	15			15	50\$ 80 2.95	
Elizabeth Morris, lot 465.	1	72\$ 33	37\$ 60	23			23	25\$ 40 3.13	
Constance Lloyd, lot 466.	1	72\$ 33	37\$ 60	23			23	25\$ 40 3.13	
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Mrs. Rosa Cuevas and Francis Perre, lots 53 and 54.	2	22\$ 30	10.80	12.00	19.20	7.20	7.20	50\$ 80 80.50	
Johanna D. Smith, lots 57 and 58.	2	7.37\$ 36	32\$ 60	36			36	50\$ 80 6.38	
Hattie Murray, lot 60.	2	3.33\$ 1.57	1.75	2.80	1.05		1.05	25\$ 40 11.70	
James White, et ux, lot 62.	2	3.95\$ 1.85	2.00	3.20	1.20		1.20	25\$ 40 13.85	
Mrs. Clara Maurice, lot 182.	2	3.80\$ 1.80						25\$ 40 13.85	
Emily Banks, Engman Sub. Div. lot 60.	2	2.33\$ 1.15	1.28	2.08	0.72		0.72	25\$ 40 1.81	
Mrs. C. A. Vazquez, lot 229.	2	7.60\$ 3.60	4.00	6.40	2.40		2.40	25\$ 40 27.08	
Martha Jenkins, lot 32.	3	3.22\$ 1.11	1.22	2.00	0.68		0.68	25\$ 40 1.48	
Paul Minder, lots 120 ft. of 126.	3	1.17\$ 2.25	2.40	4.00	1.50		1.50	25\$ 40 17.15	
Theresa Curry, lot 116.	3	1.17\$ 2.25	2.40	4.00	1.50		1.50	25\$ 40 17.15	
Preston Gilbert, lot 175.	3	5.70\$ 2.70	3.00	4.80	1.80		1.80	25\$ 40 20.45	
Mrs. H. H. Lewis, Alton, Ill.; D. F. Merrin, Laurel, Miss.; Jack Belmont, Mrs. W. Paterson, Mrs. Bant and family, St. Louis, Mo.; Dick H. Hogan, Little Rock, Ark.; C. W. Hopkins, Washington, D. C.; and Mrs. E. B. Hayes, Nashville, Tenn.	3	9.75\$ 4.50	5.00	8.00	3.00		3.00	25\$ 40 3.13	
M. Bennett, Boudages Sub. Div. 117 and east 25 ft. of 12.	3	1.43\$ 0.67	0.75	1.20	0.45		0.45	50\$ 80 6.25	
Ellen G. Lewis, lot 208.	3	3.50\$ 1.80	2.00	3.20	1.20		1.20	25\$ 40 13.85	
Viola Williams, lot 211.	3	4.99\$ 2.35	2.60	4.20	1.58		1.58	25\$ 40 17.95	
John Clark East, lot 285.	4	4.70\$ 2.35	2.60	4.20	1.58		1.58	25\$ 40 17.95	
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